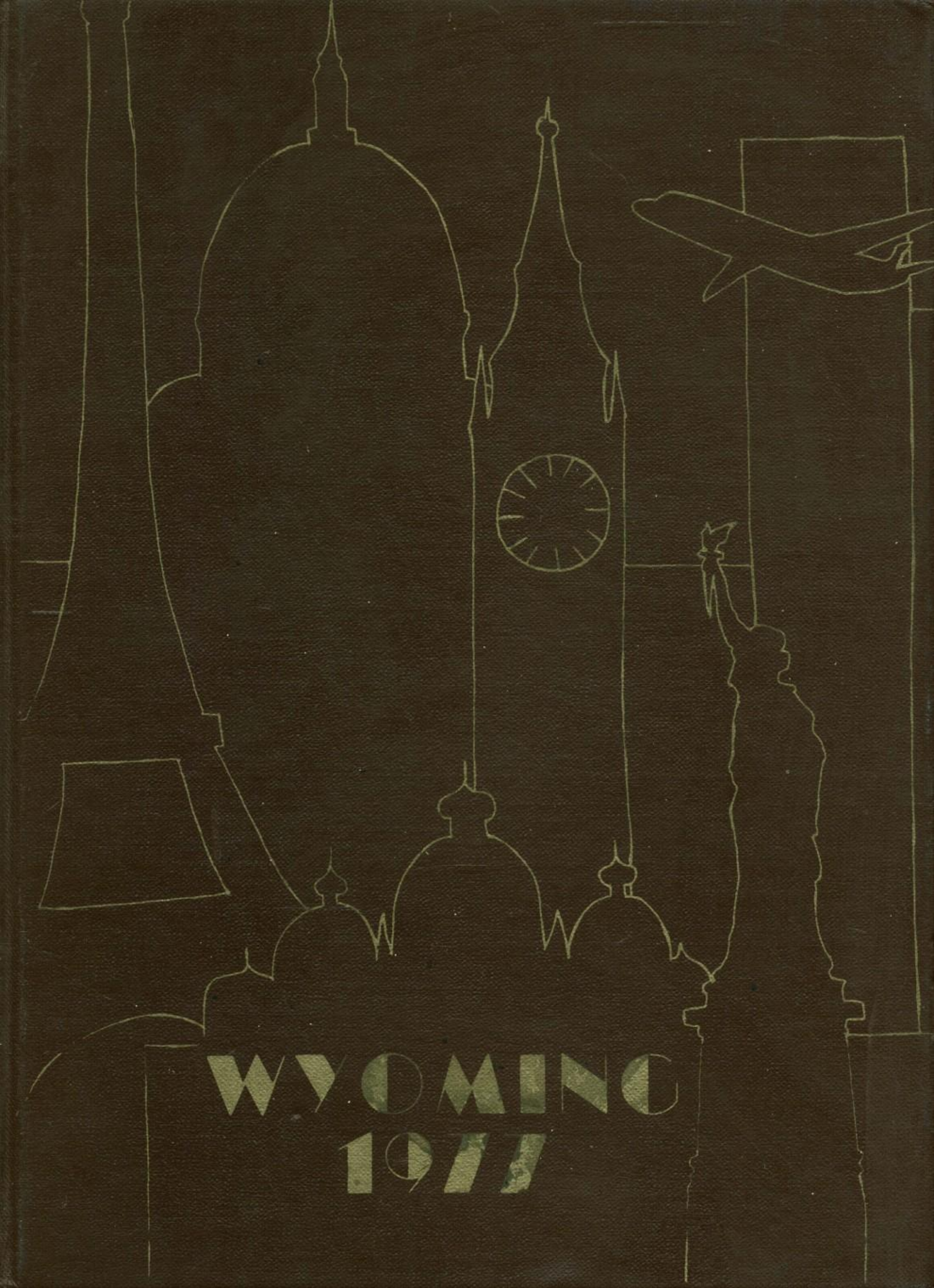
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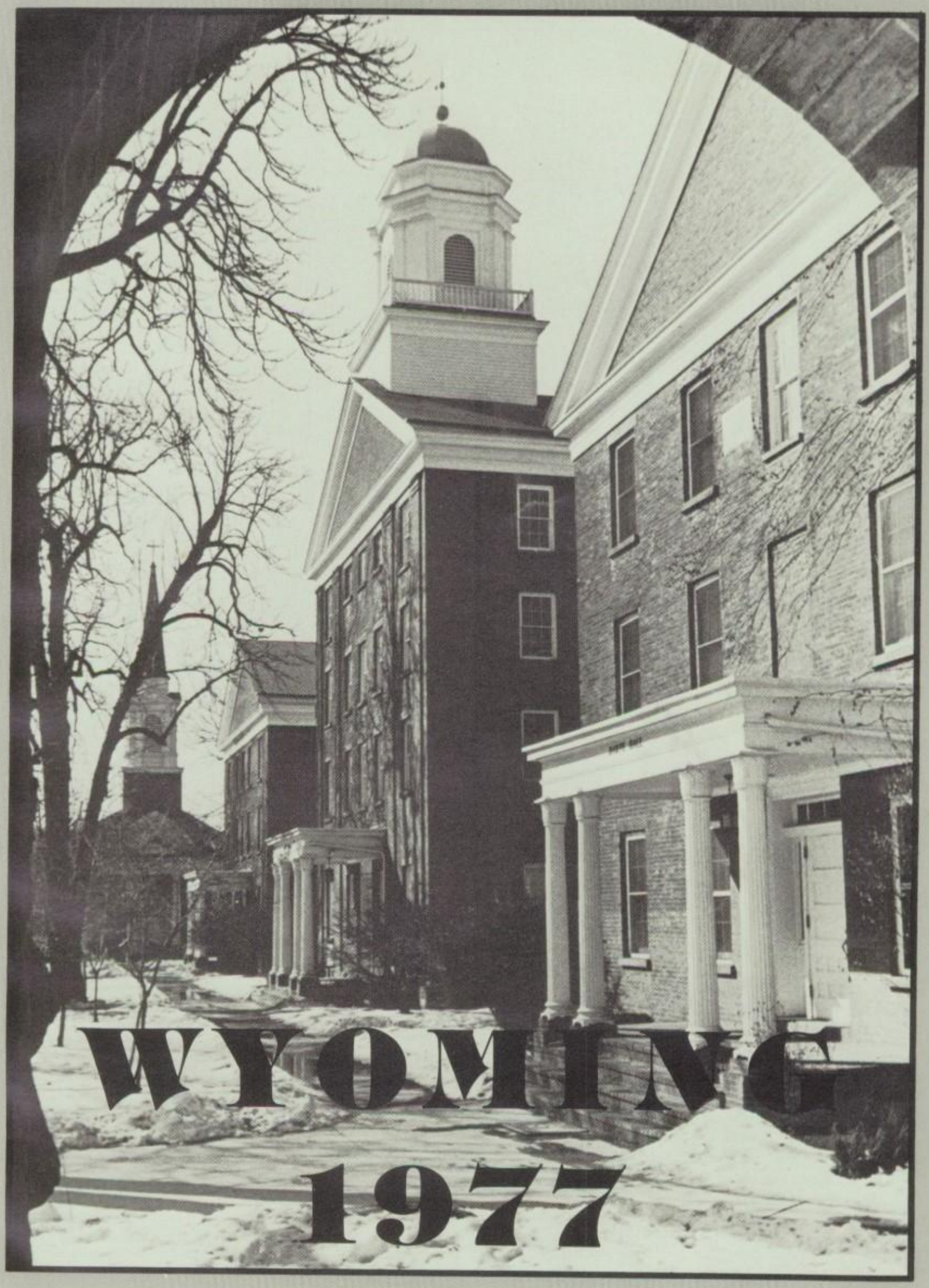

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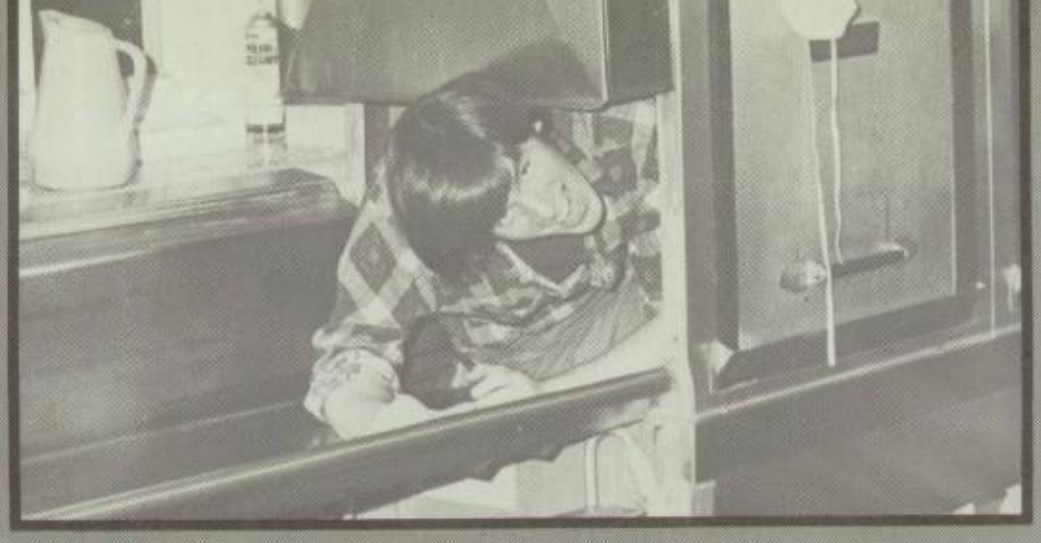

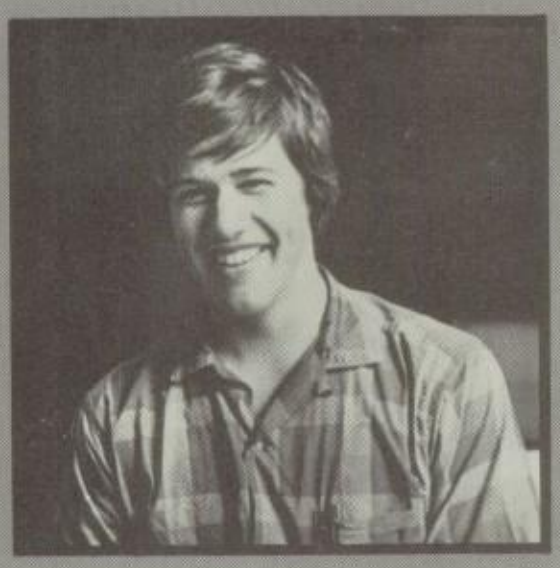

Dedication

On this page, and throughout the entire 1977 WYOMING, the word "dedication" has two meanings. This yearbook is dedicated to Molly and Buell Flaherty: it is a farewell gift to them as they go from the Wyoming Seminary community to their new Canadian home. Our warmest wishes go with them on their journey, and our sincerest thanks for all that they have done for us over the years. We shall surely miss them.

More important to Sem, however, is the dedication the Flaherty's have given to us. Molly Flaherty has been the librarian for over ten years, totally rebuilding the collection after extensive flood losses. Her job has been to give us a broad based, up-to-date reference facility, professionally run and maintained for the benefit of students and faculty alike. Hers was a job well done. Buell Flaherty is best known to recent Sem graduates as our chemistry teacher, providing for us a complete chem lab experience in an interesting and exciting way. This, too, was a job well done. But neither task has been easy. Seminary students have often taken advantage of the Flahertys' good nature, causing disturbances in the quiet of the library or pulling pranks in chem lab.

Through it all, though, Buell and Molly Flaherty have been a part of Seminary, and we have been a part of them. So to the dedication shown to us through the years by the Flaherty's, this book is dedicated.

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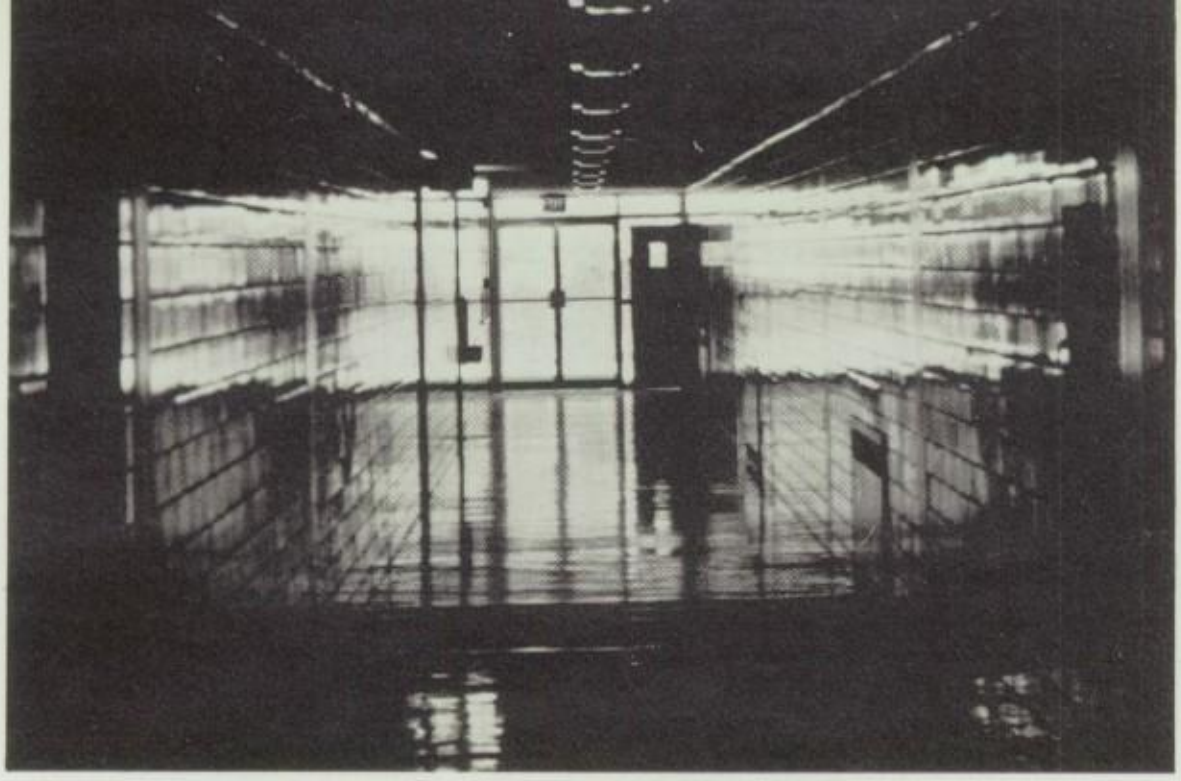
Forward

You may have noticed a somewhat non-traditional feeling to the cover of this yearbook. This year, in honour of the many places we've been and the many places we'll be, the WYOMING has adopted a theme of travel. So, fasten your seatbelt; we're about to depart: you've got a first class seat on the flight through the best year in recent history! Think of the people you've gotten to know this year— the men and women in your own class, the departing seniors, the faculty and staff—as you watch the year 1977 fly past . . .



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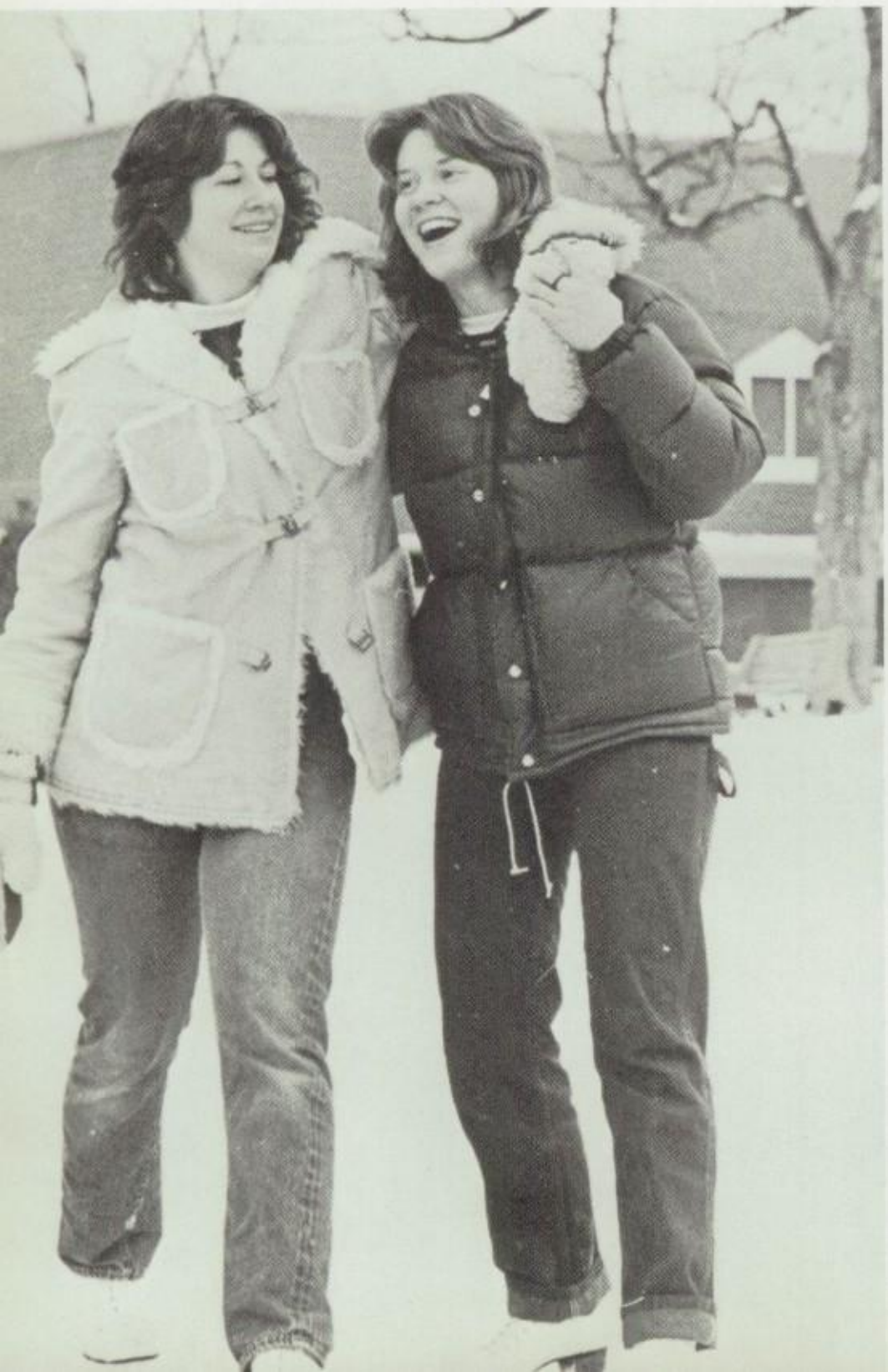

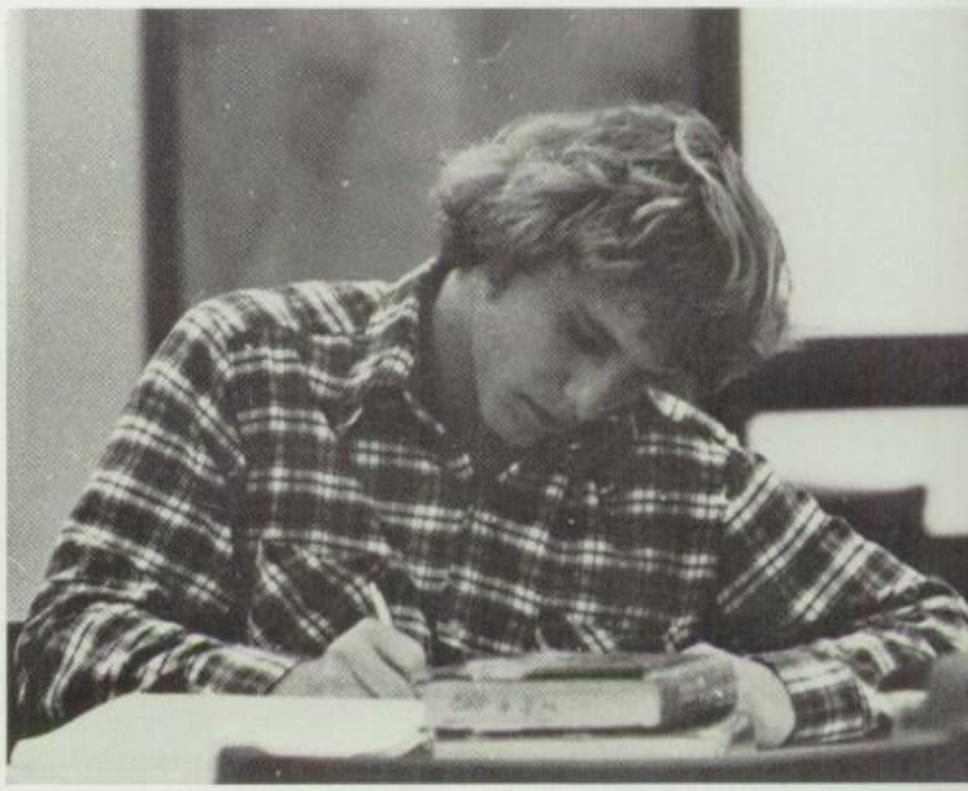

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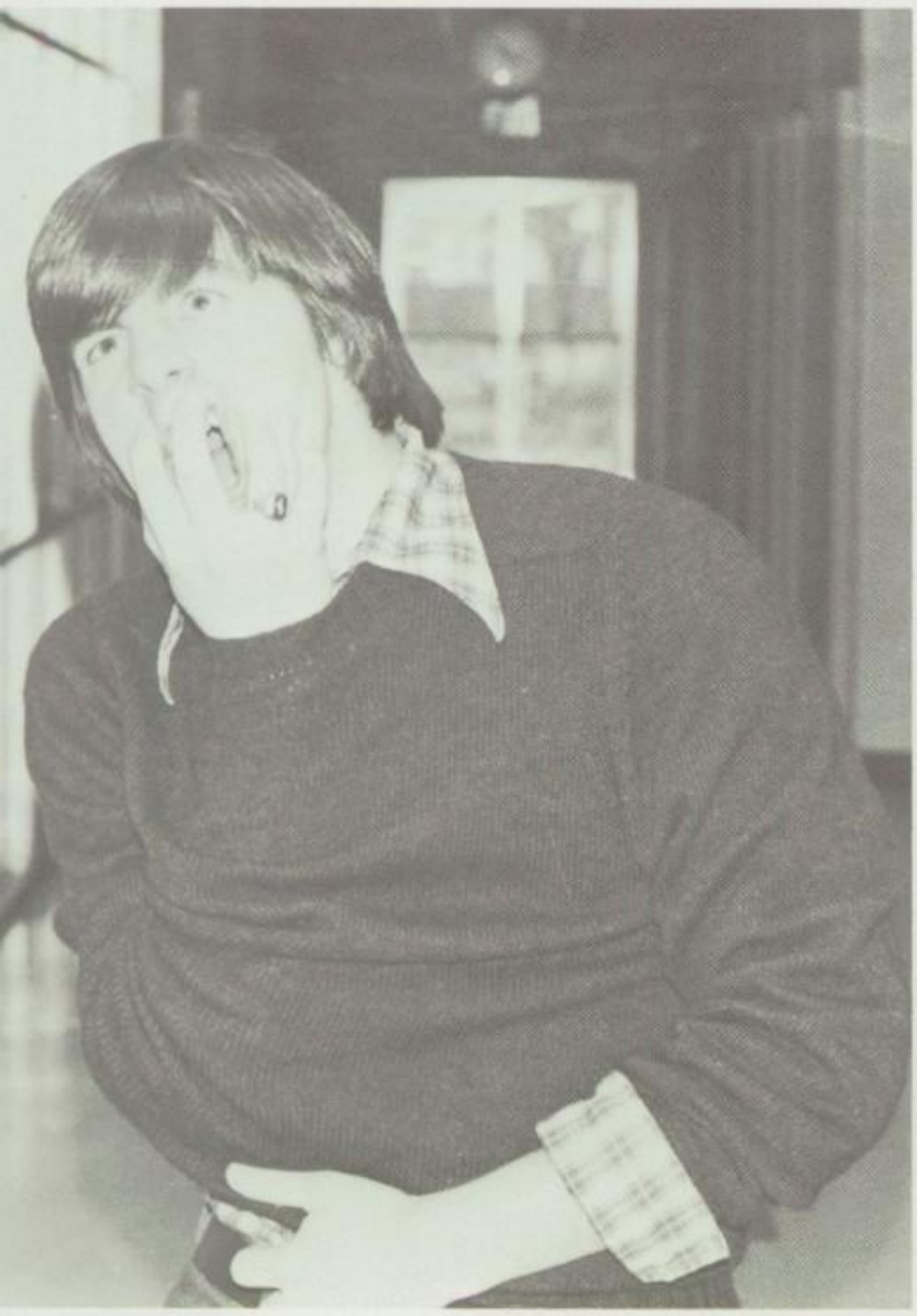

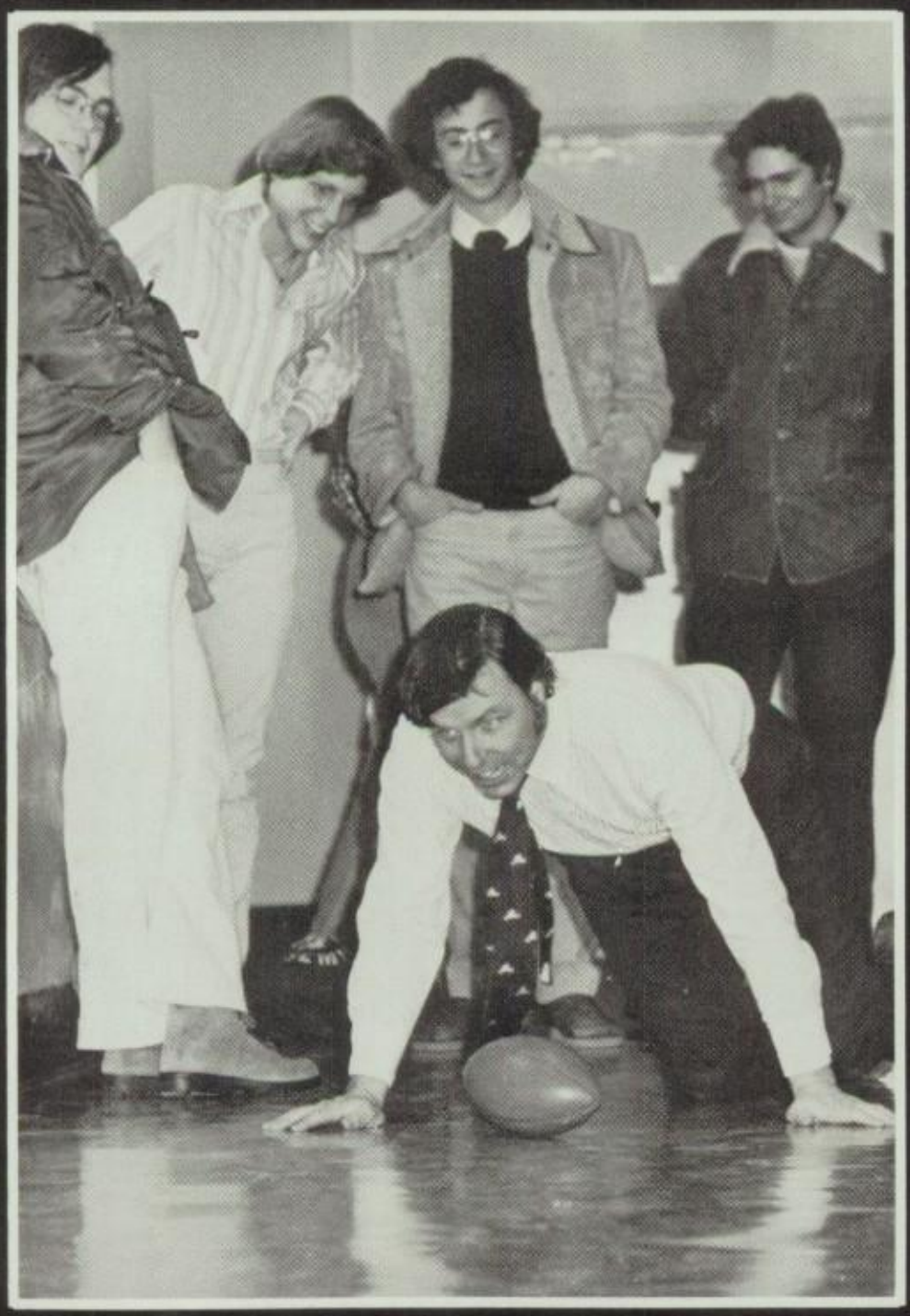

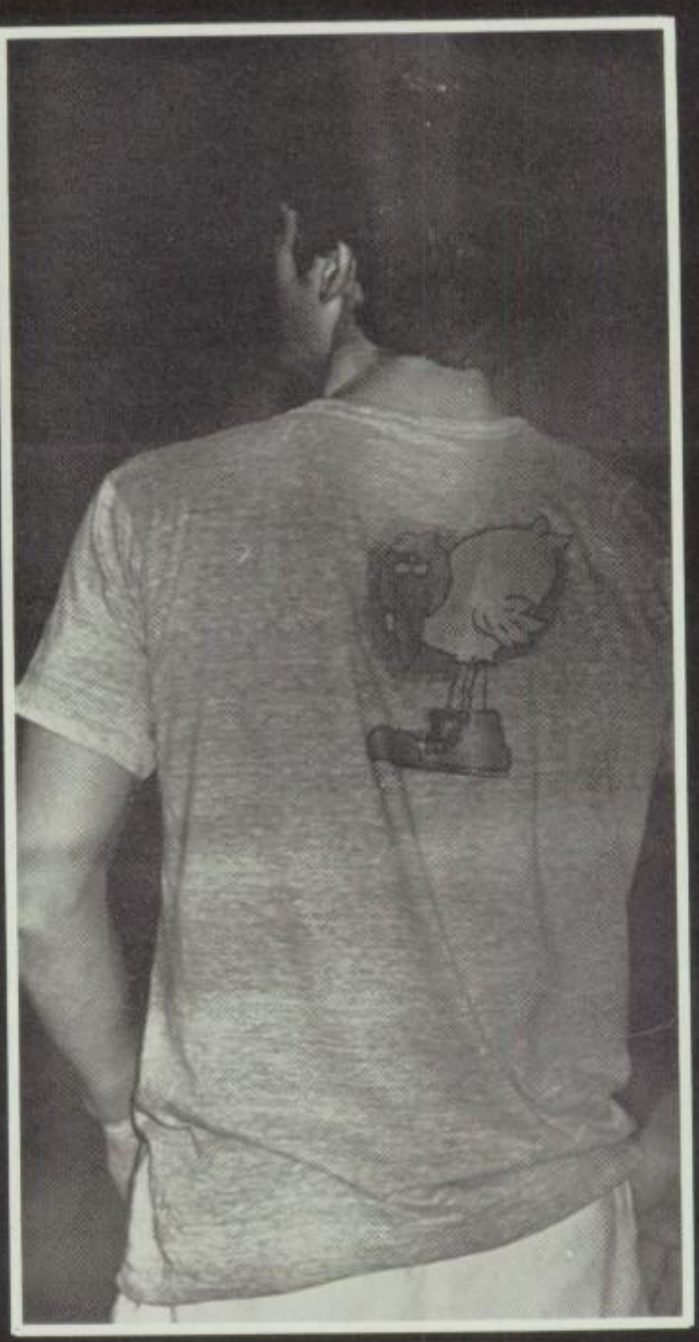

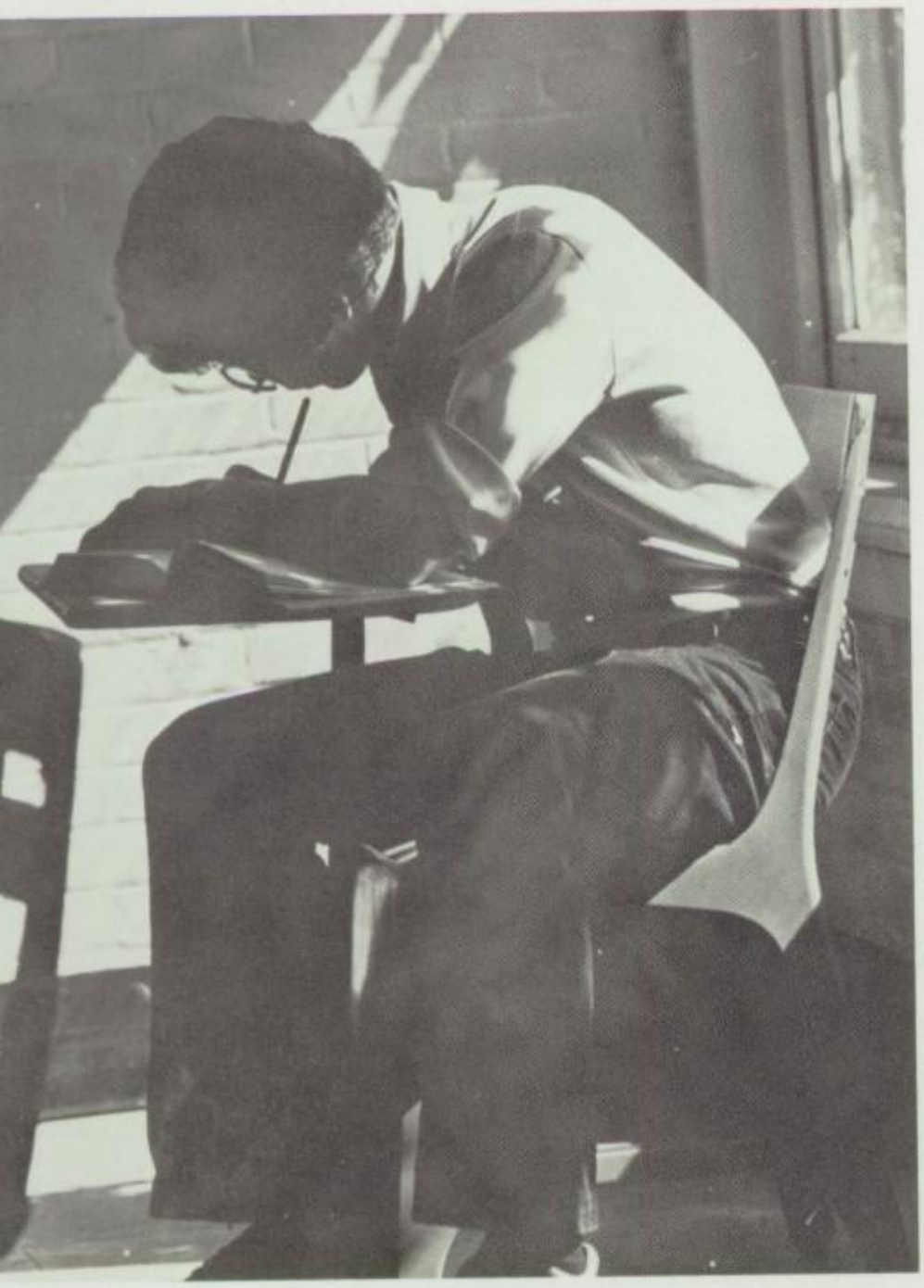

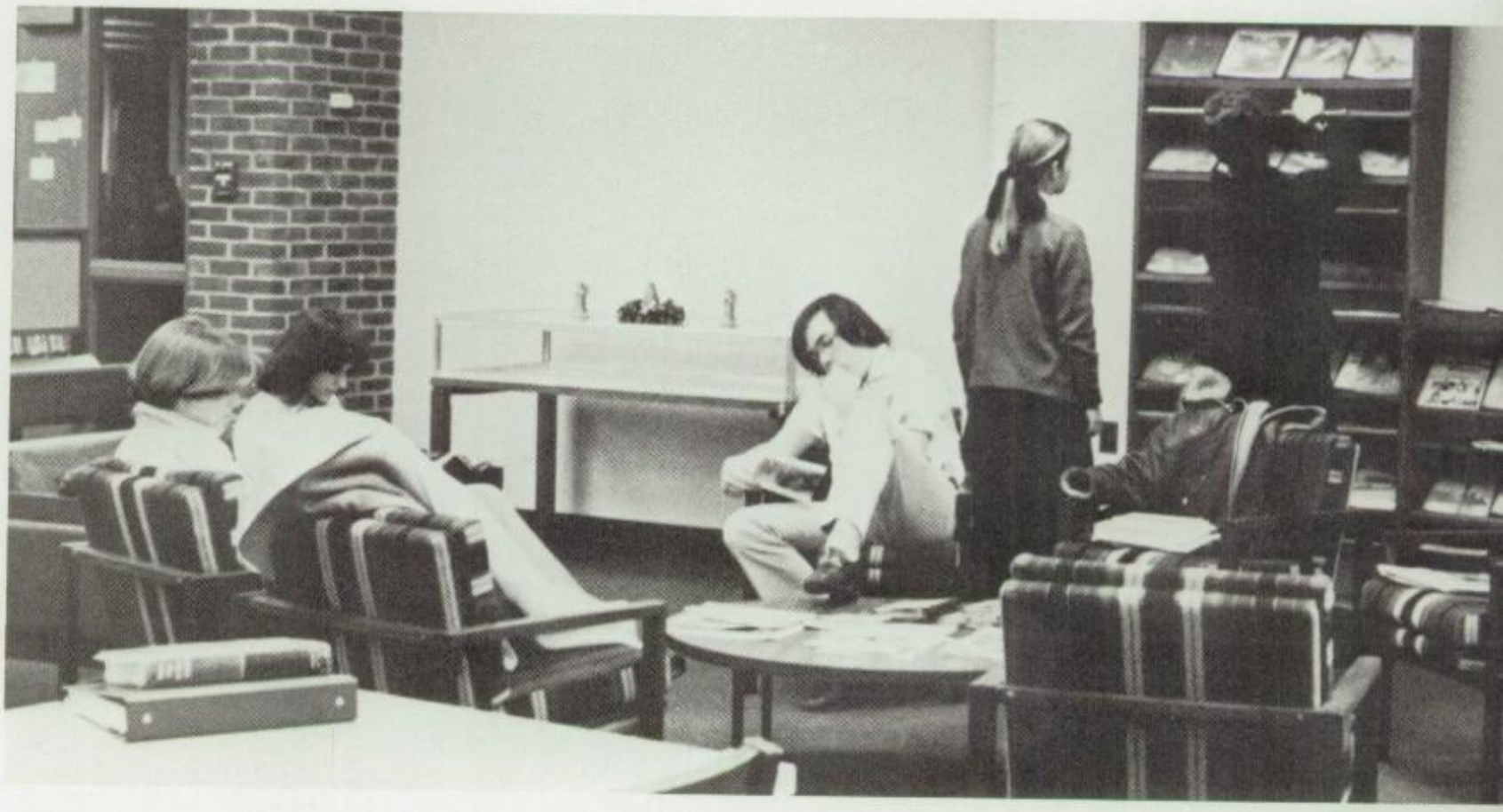

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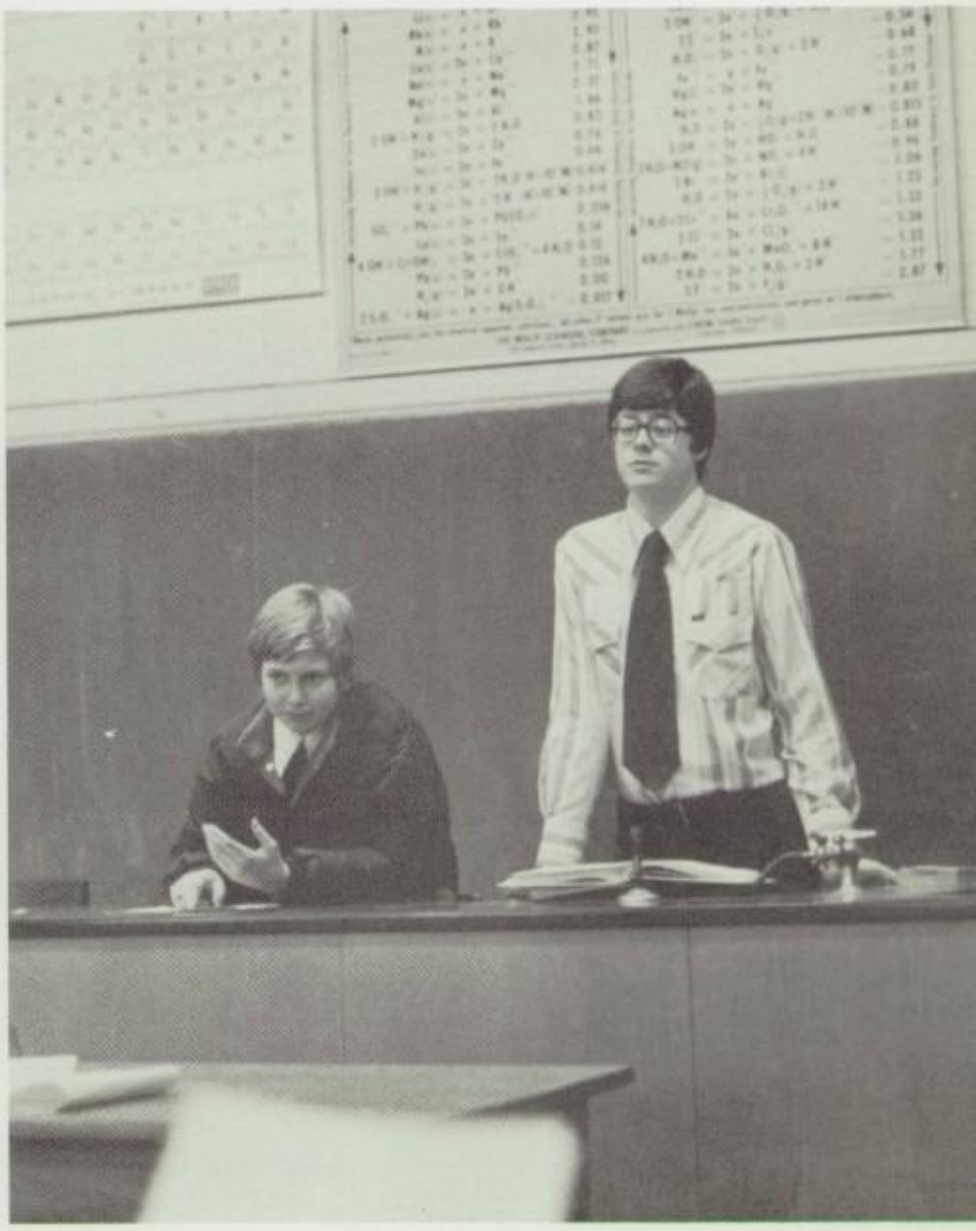

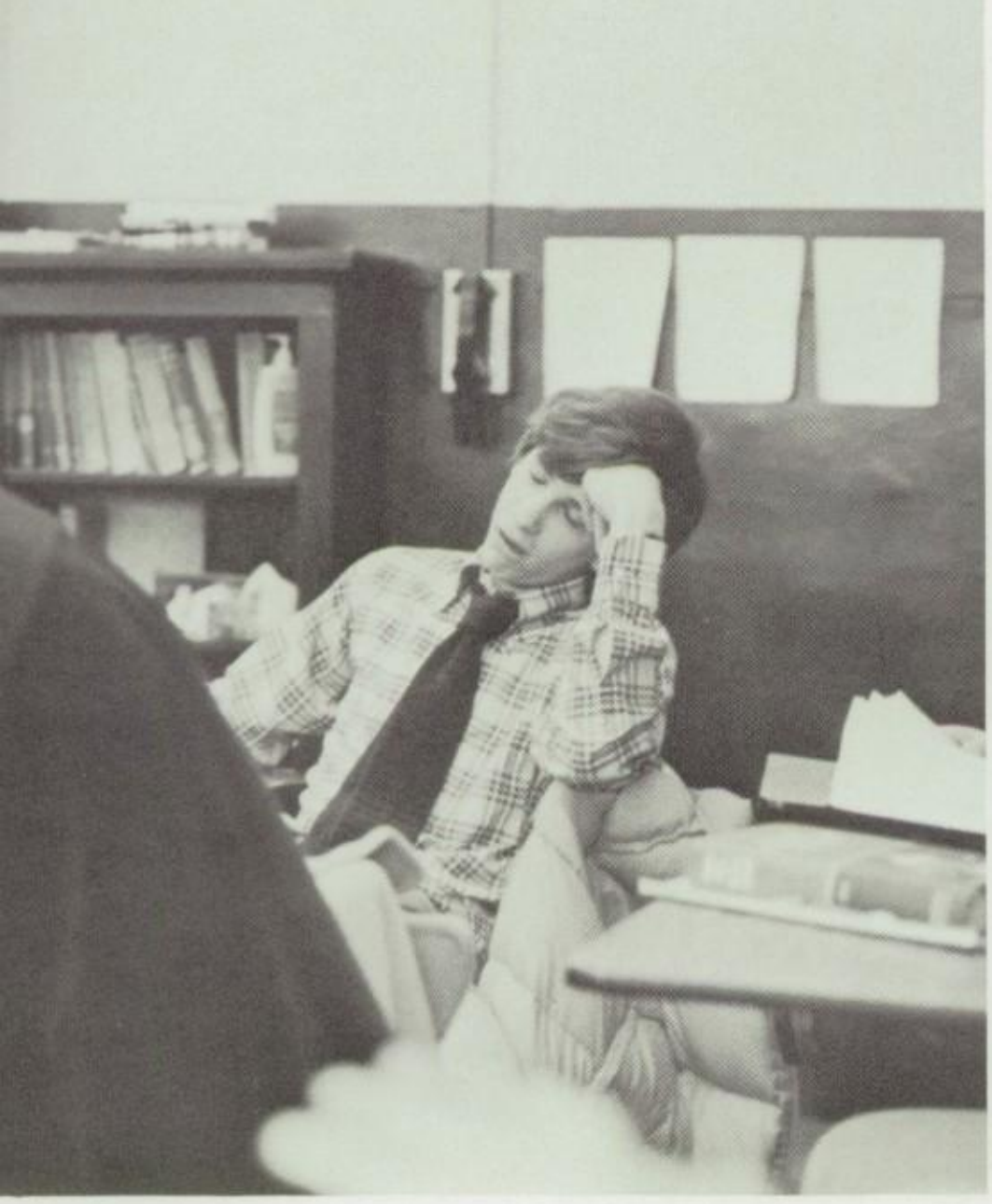

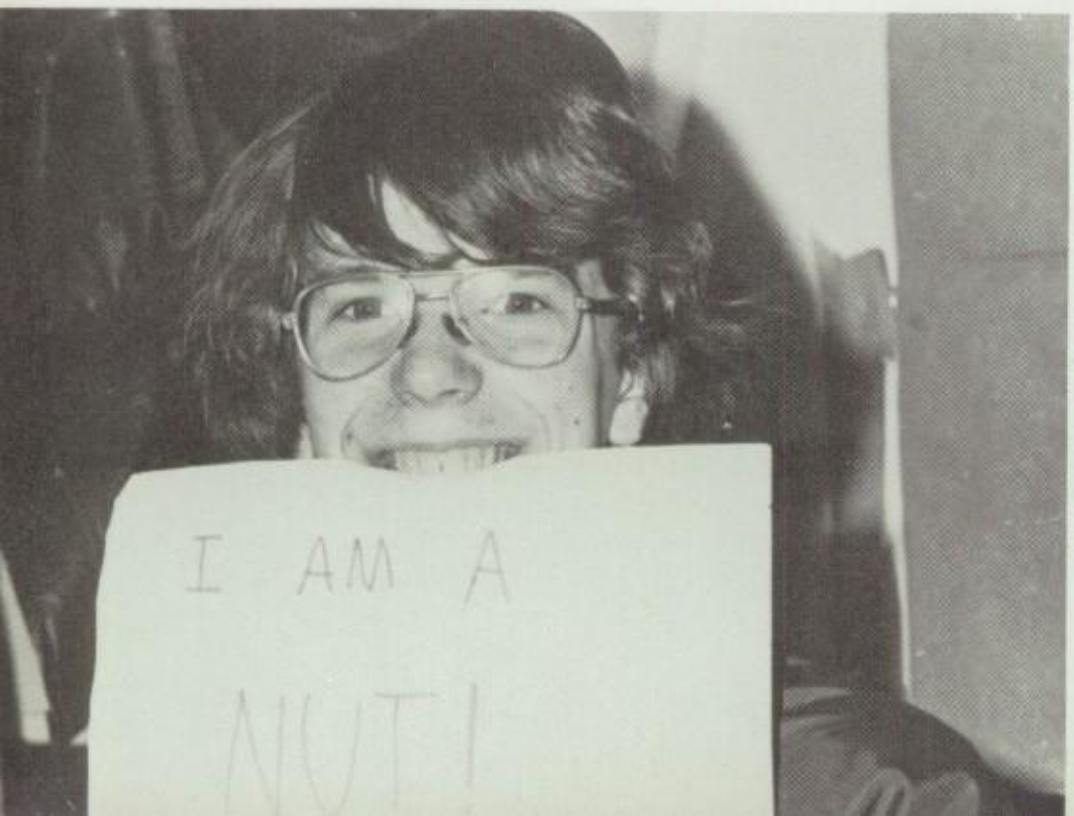
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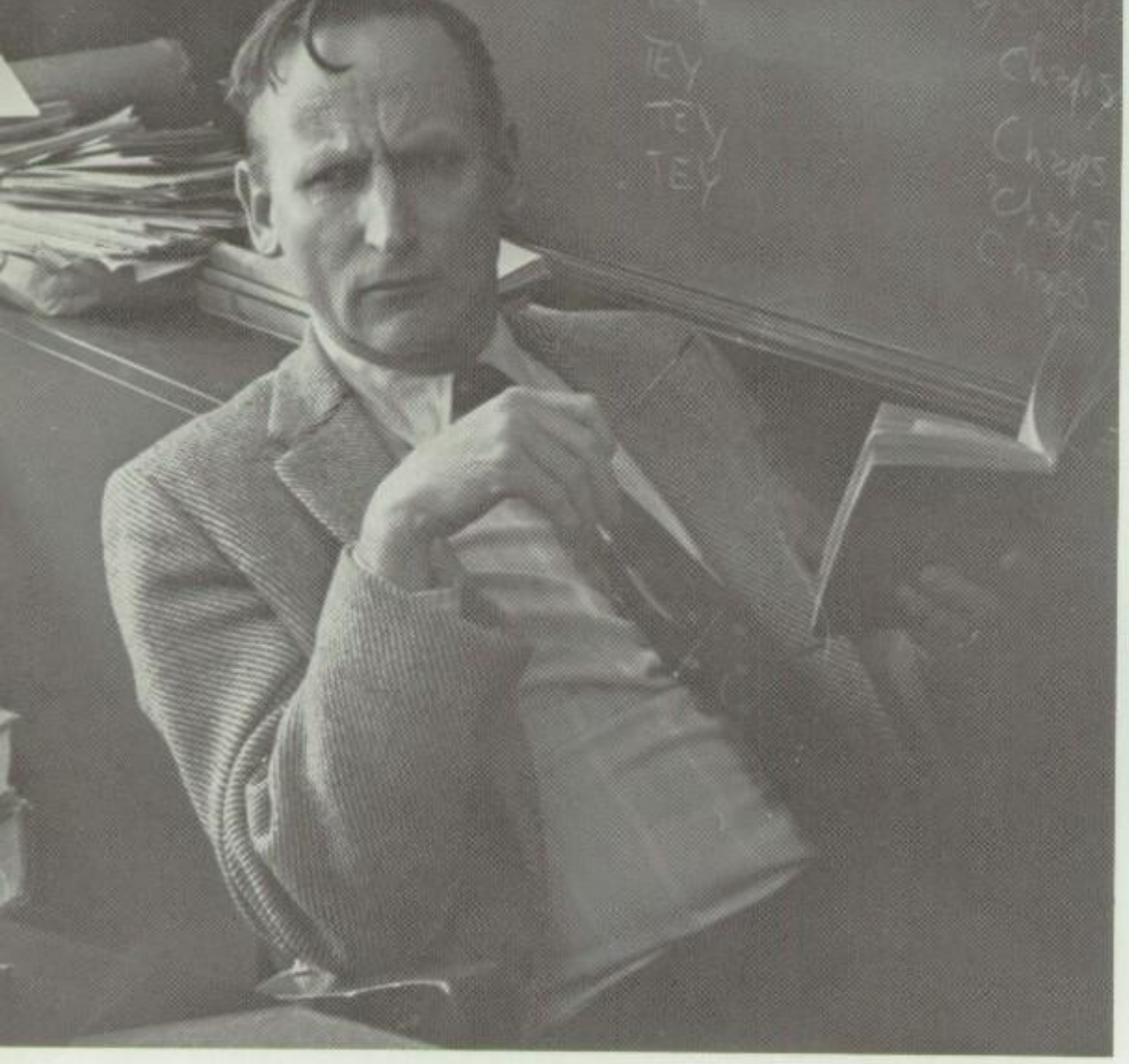

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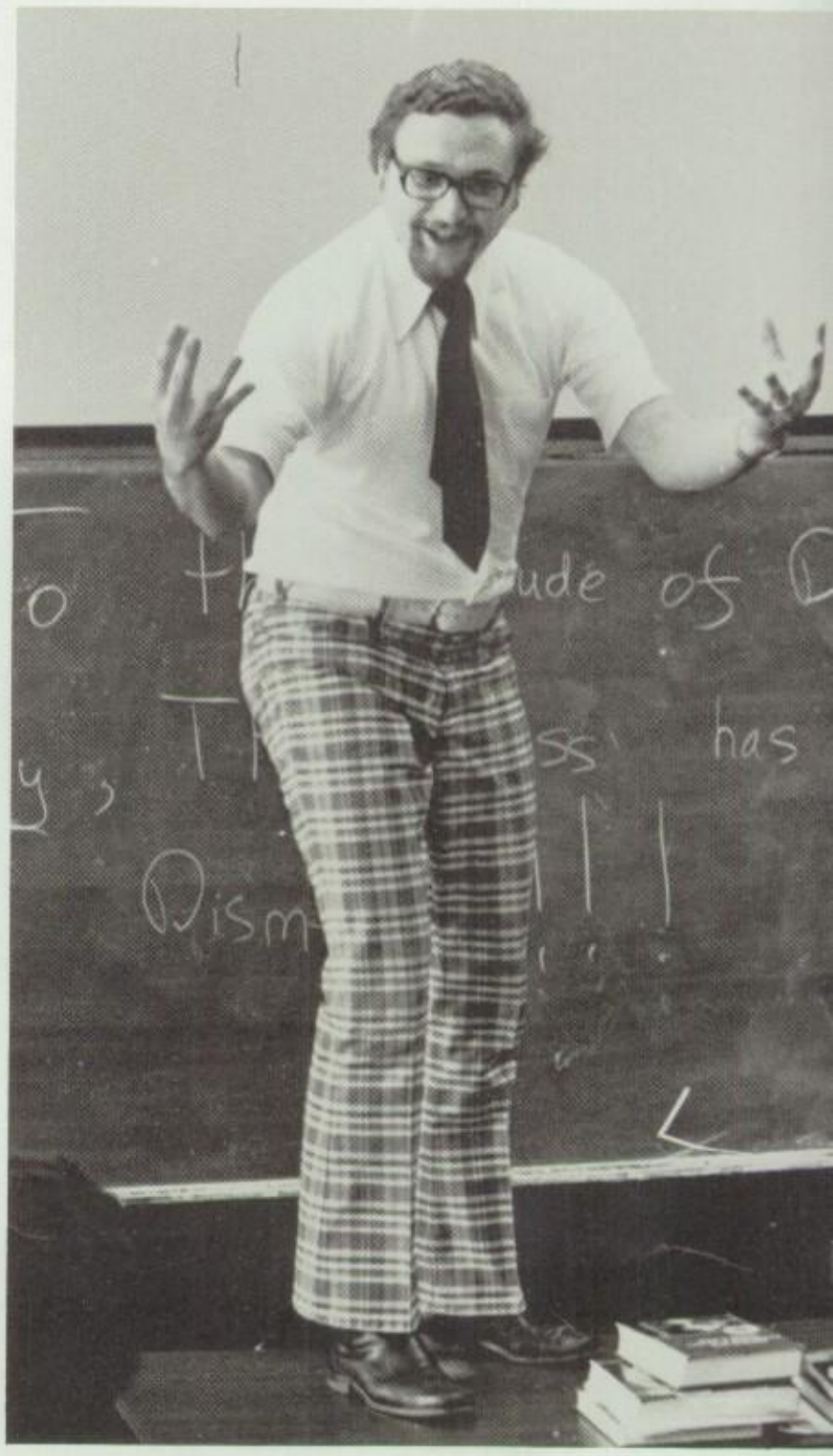

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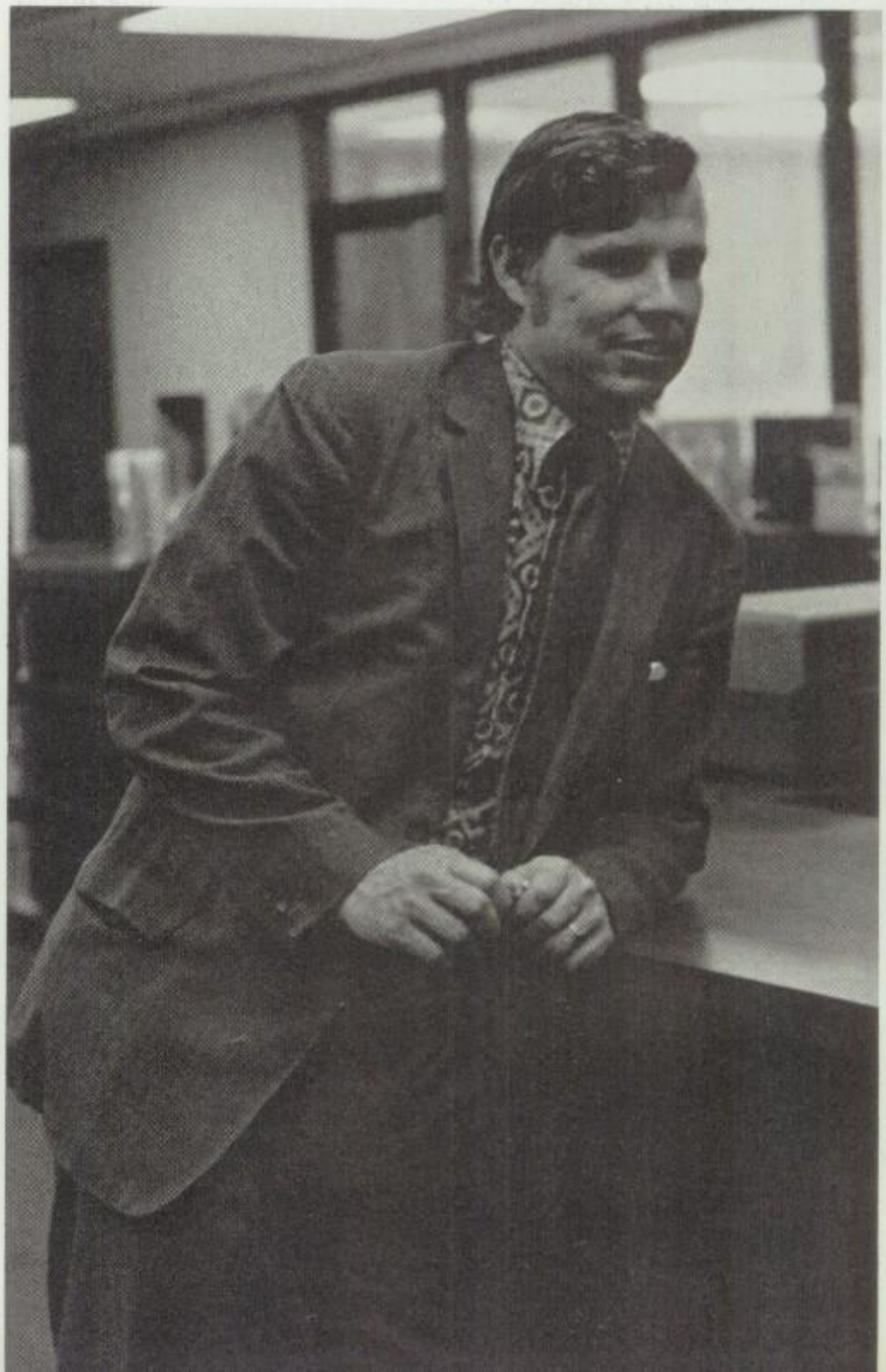

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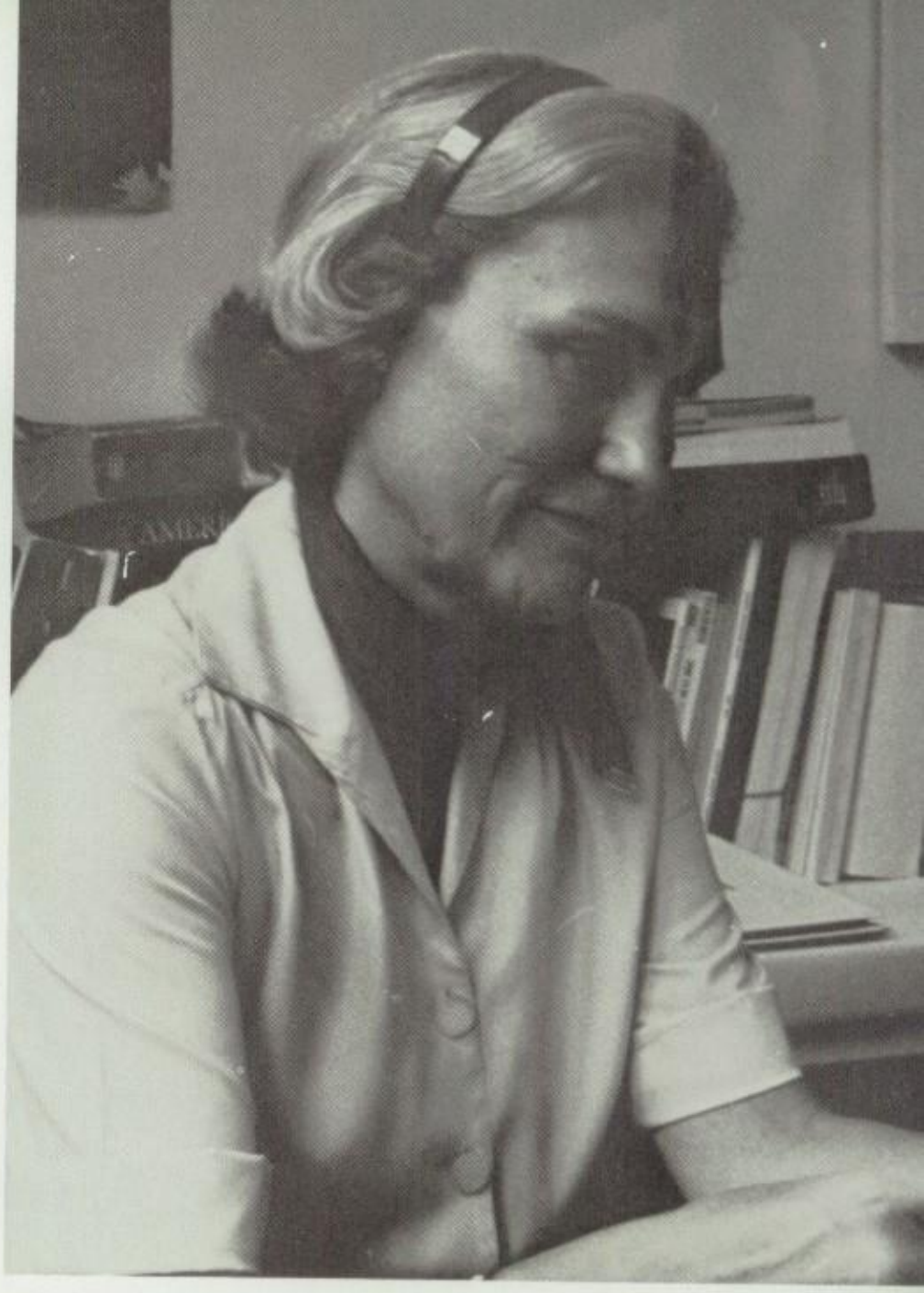

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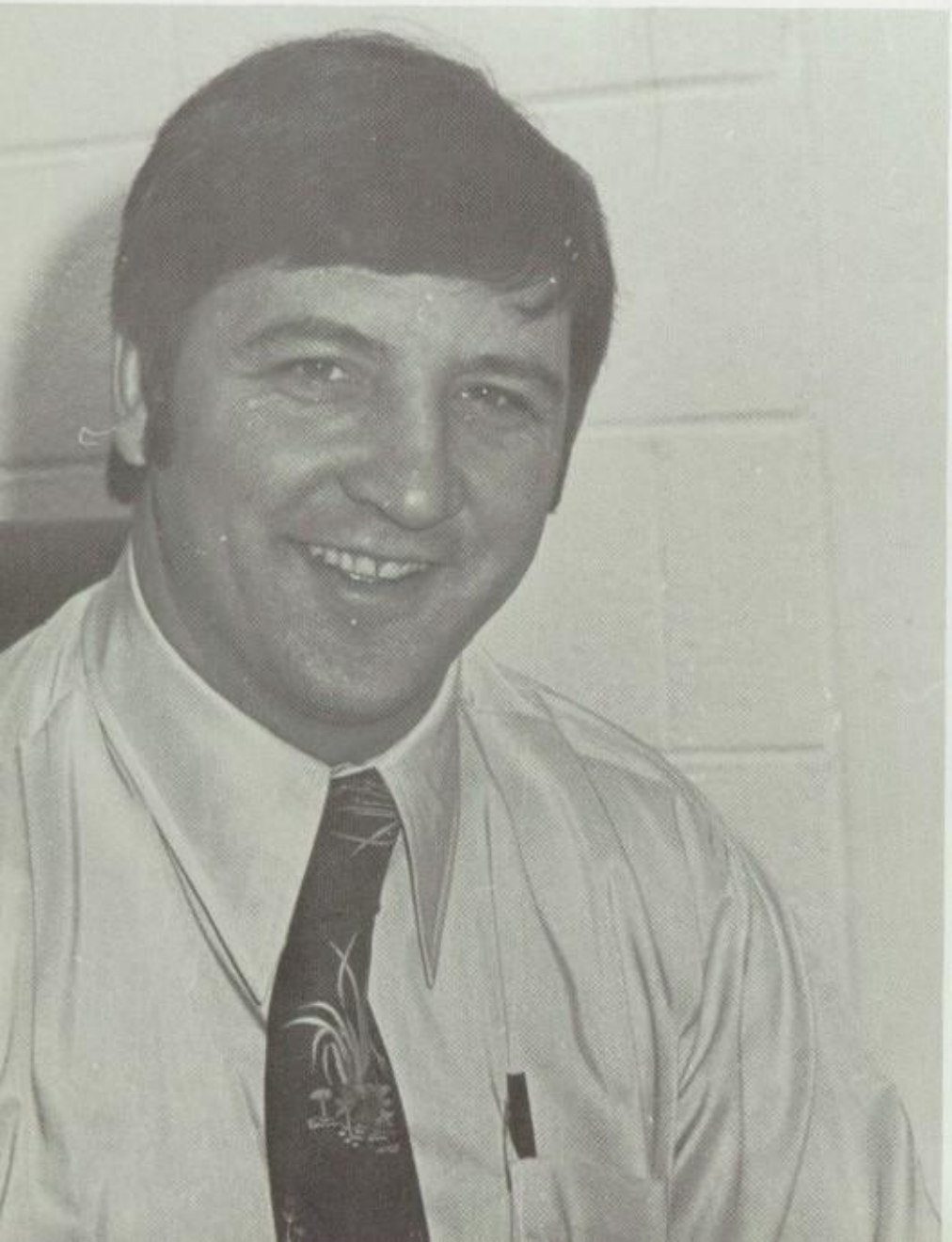

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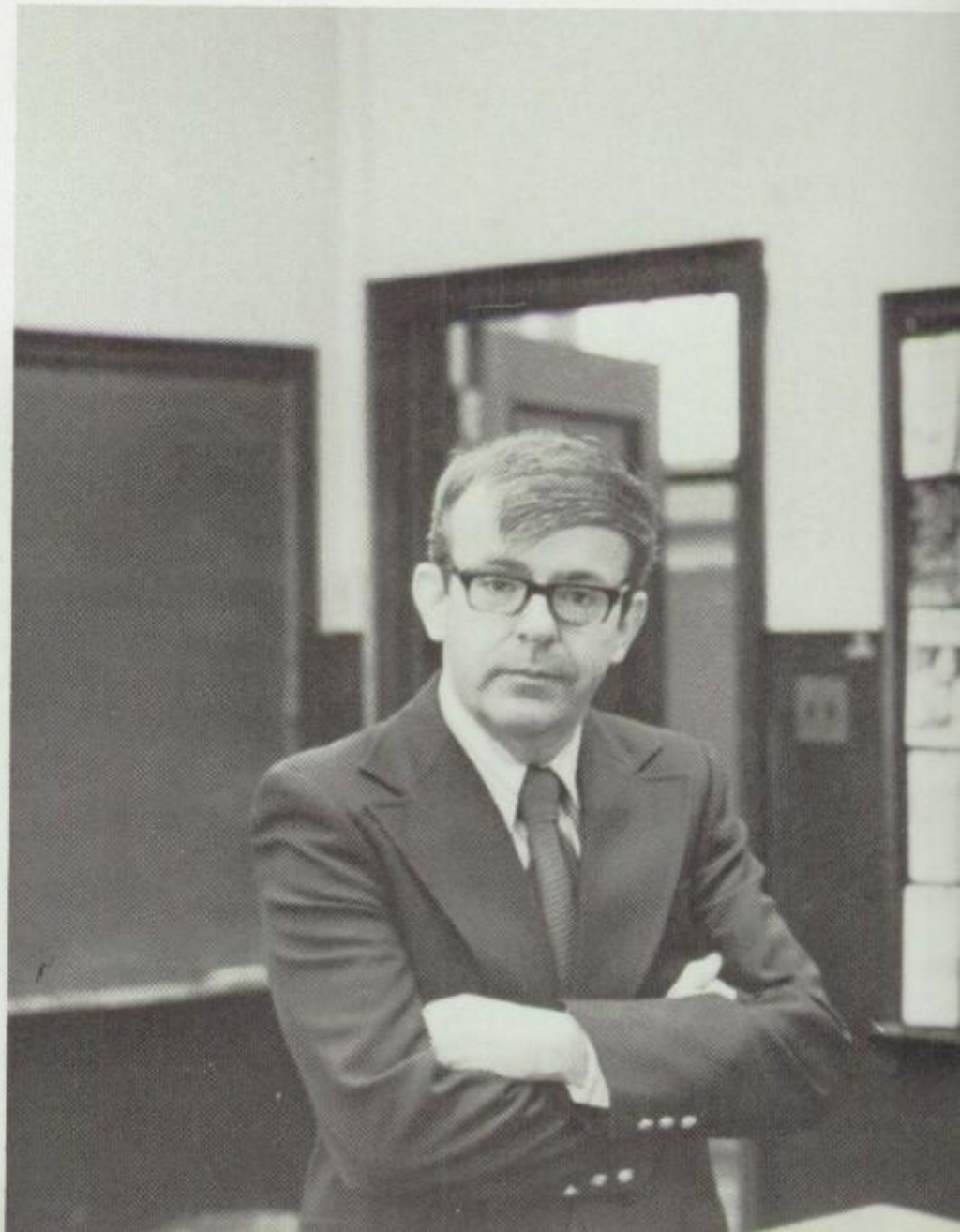

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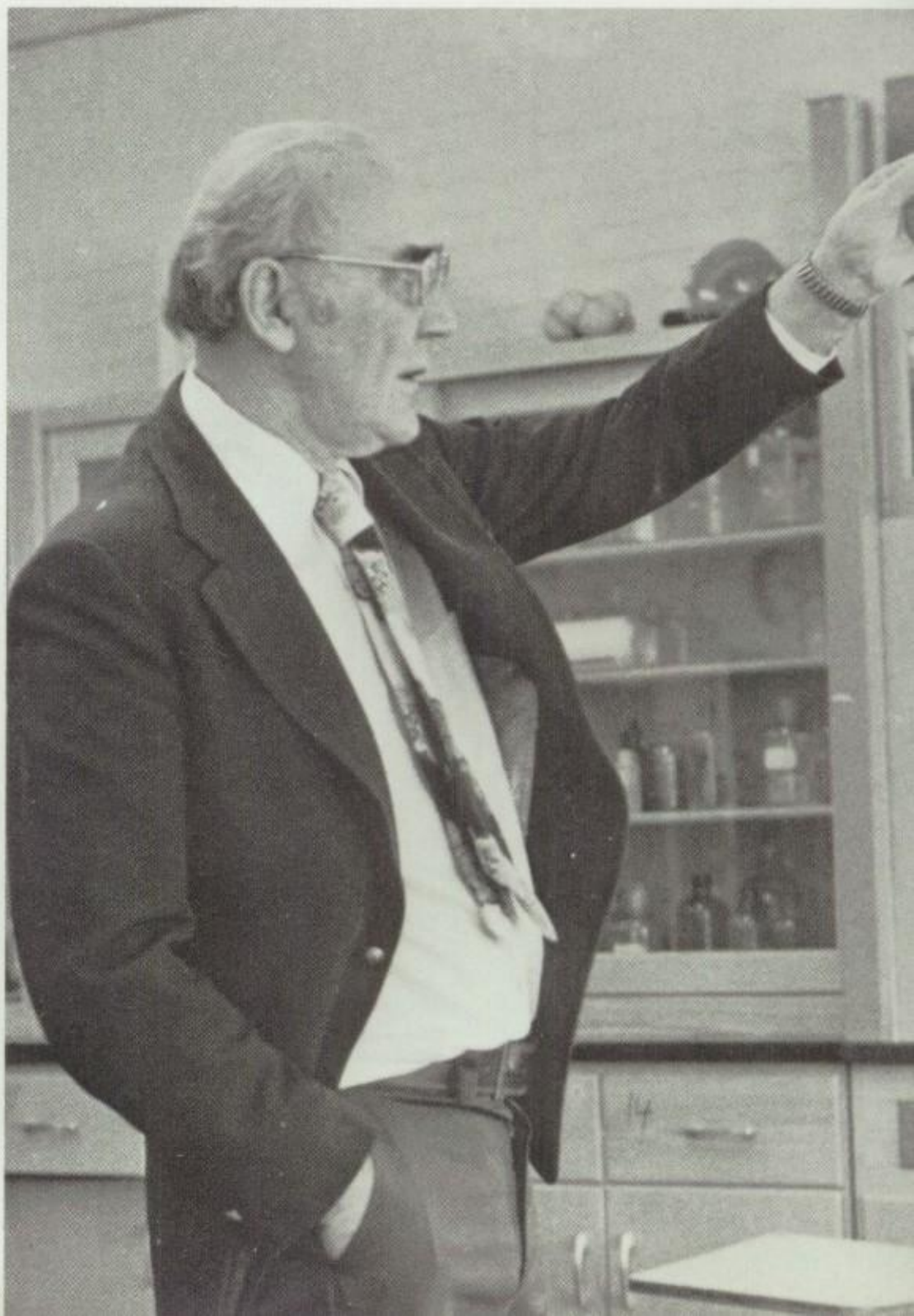

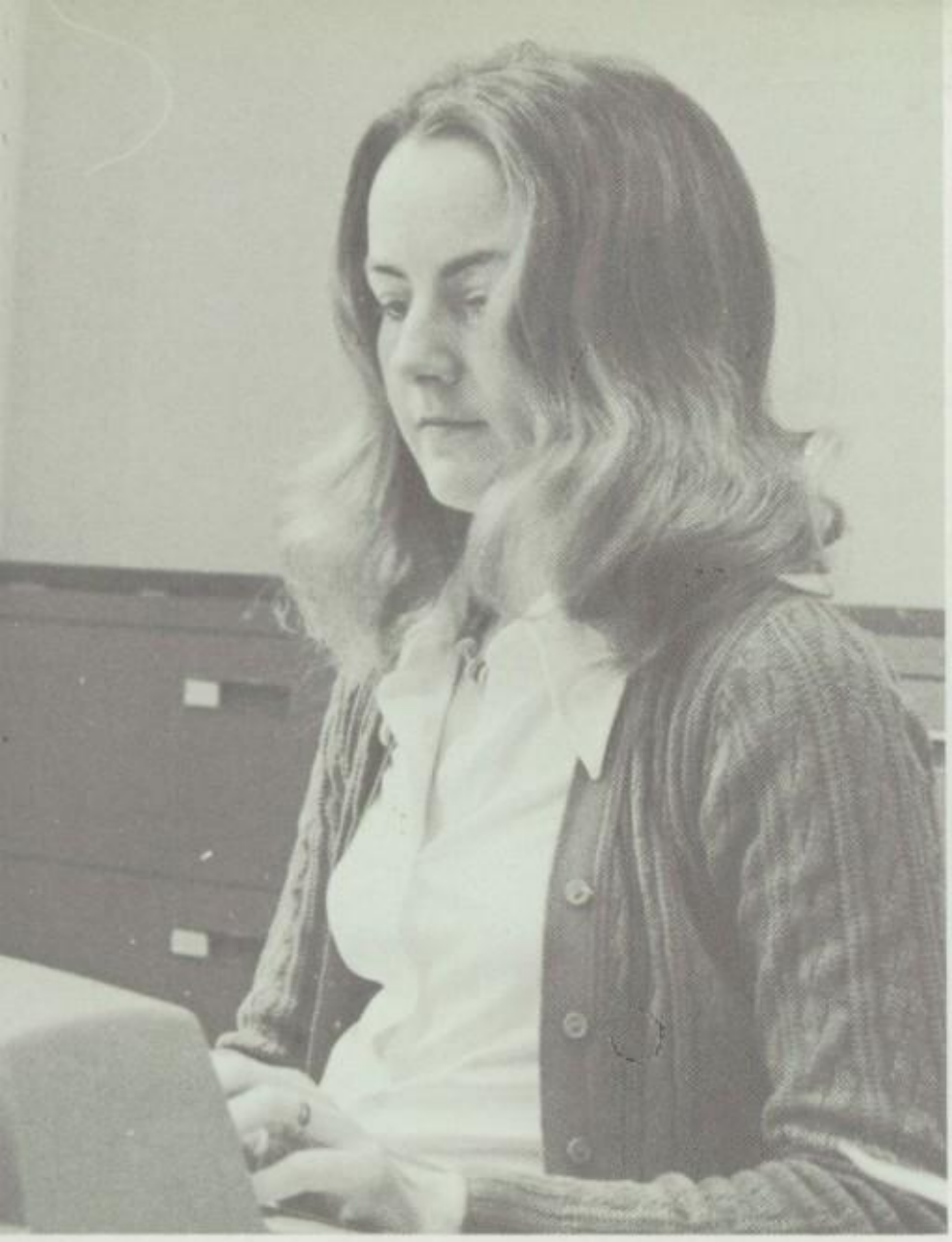

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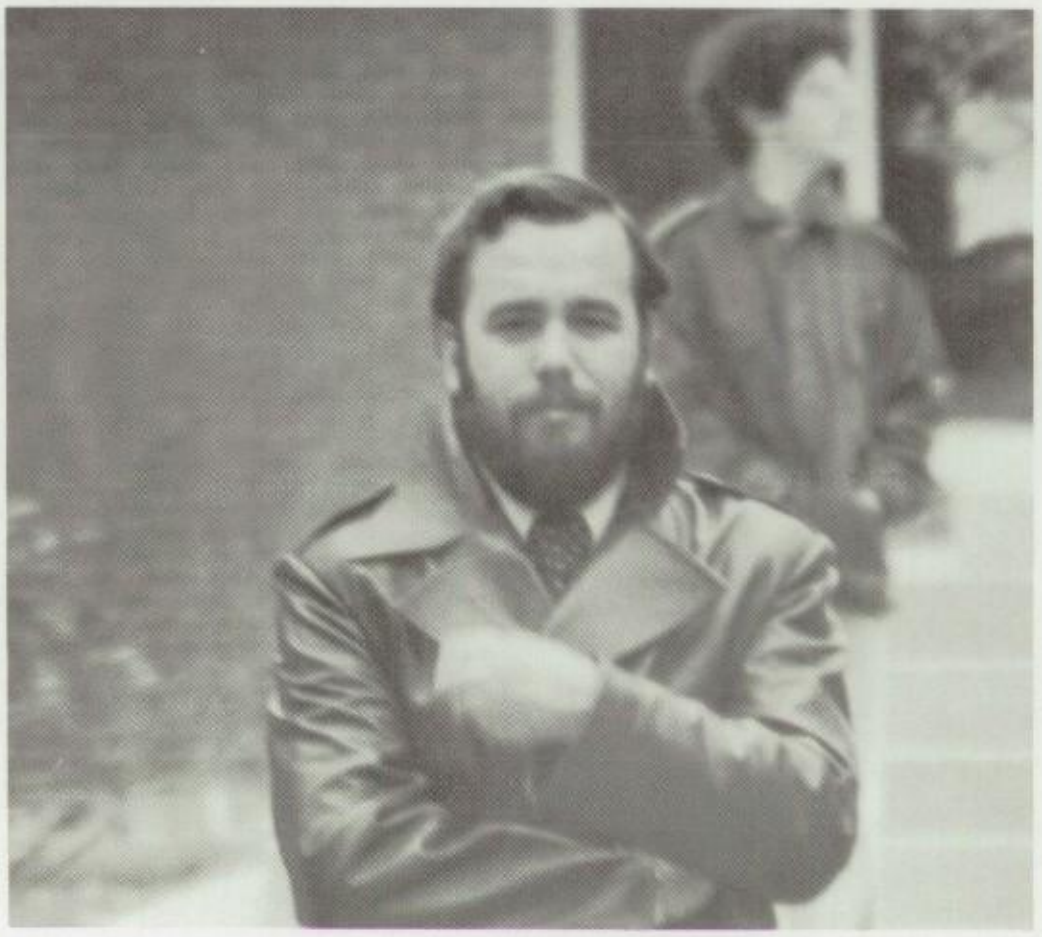

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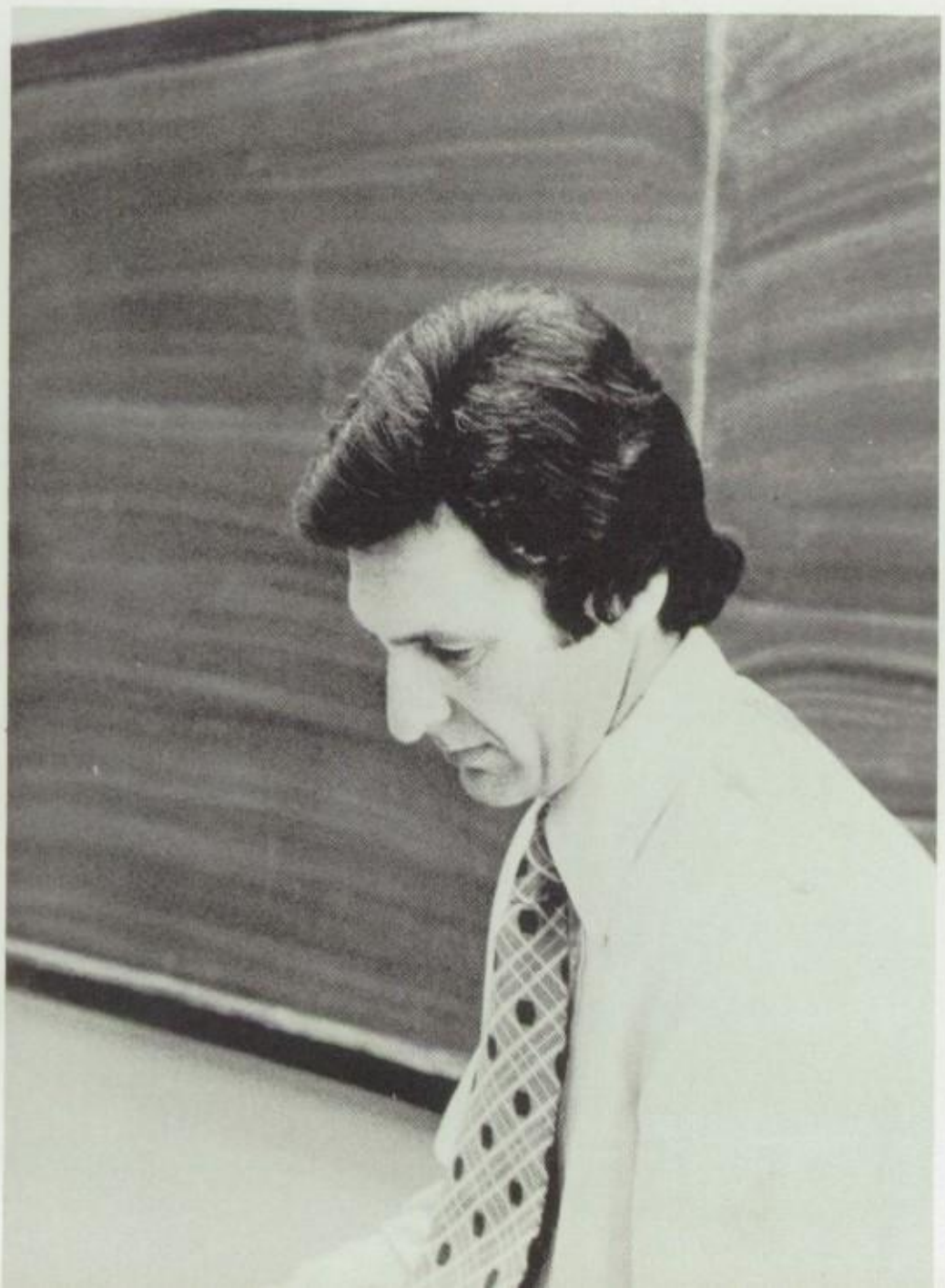

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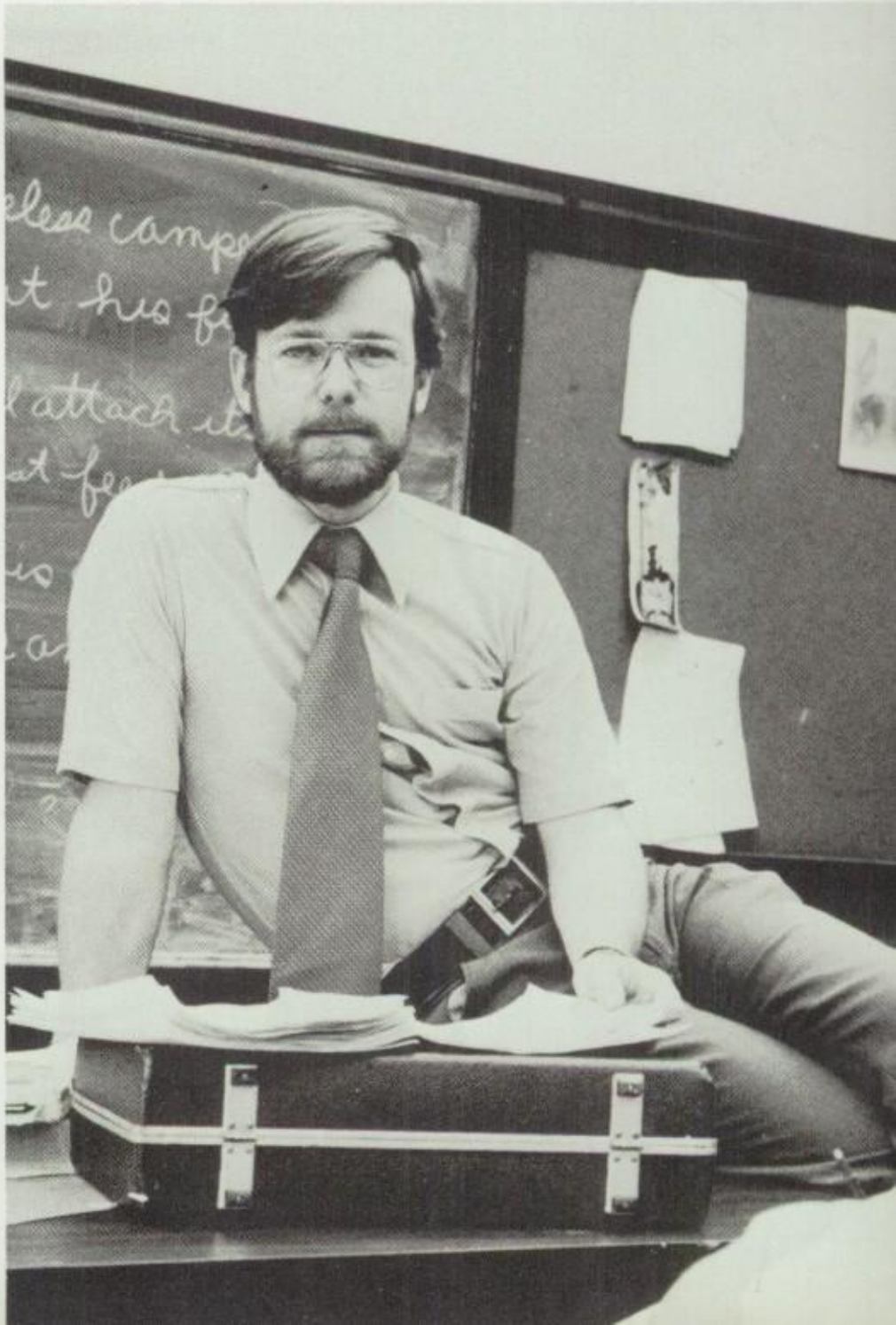

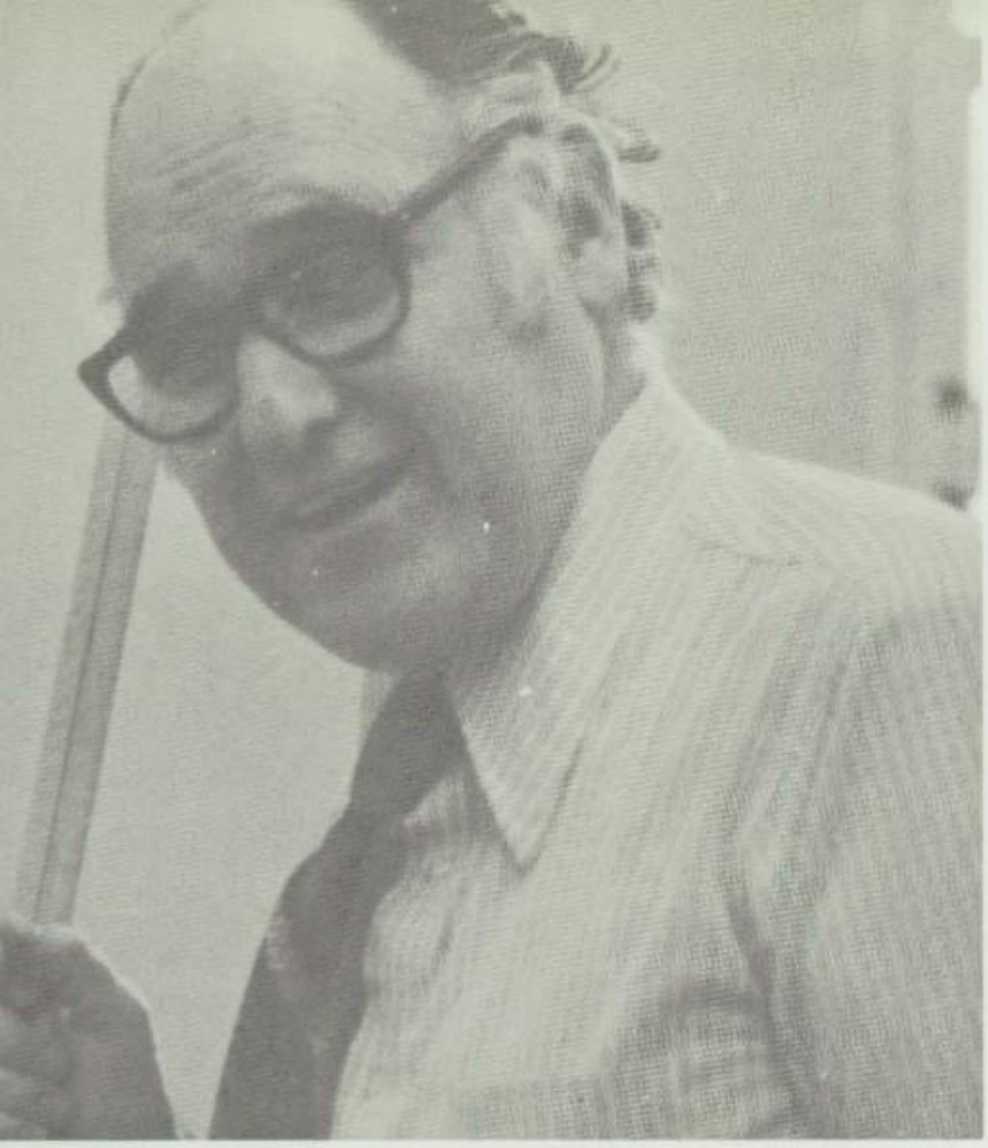

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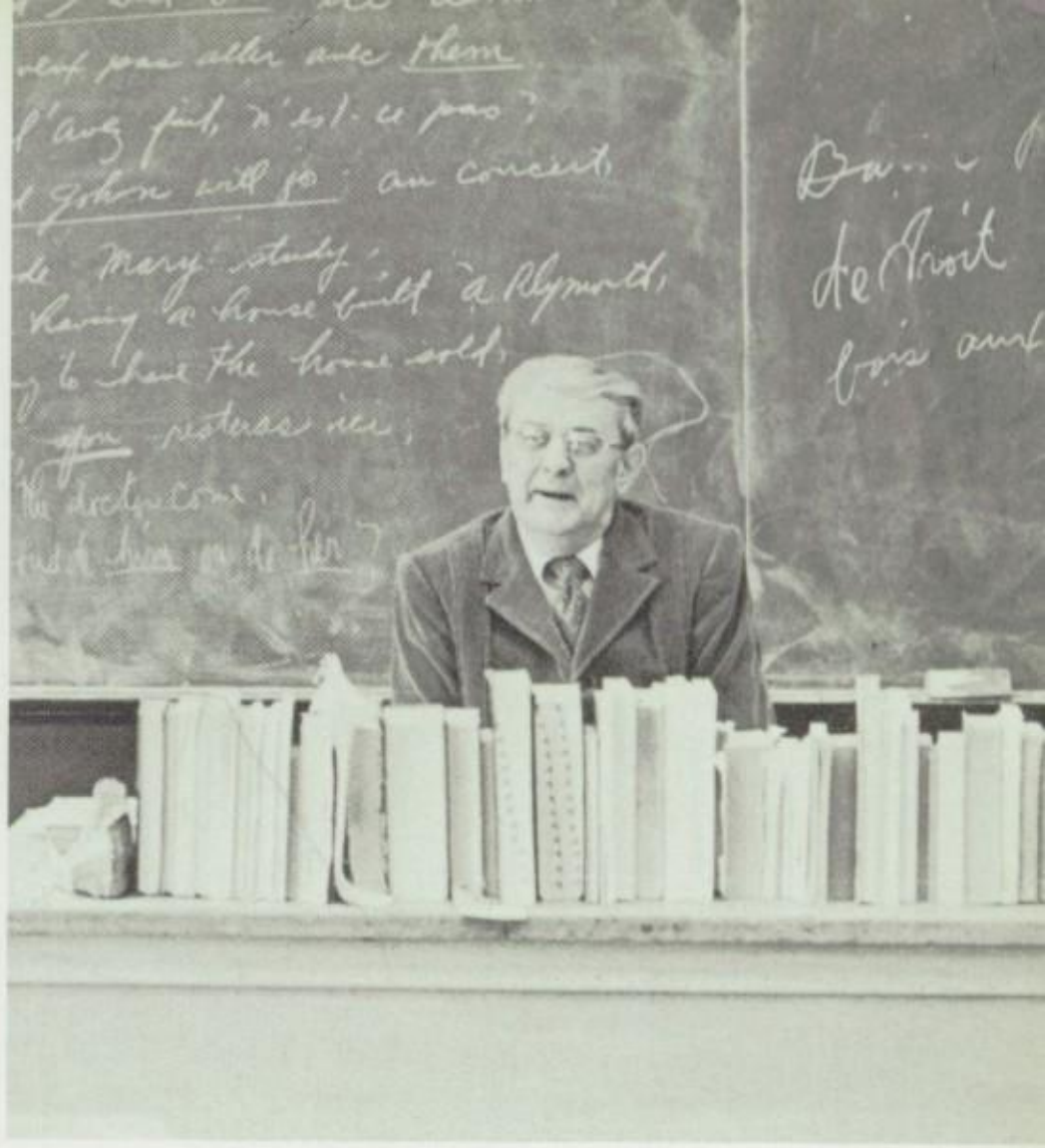

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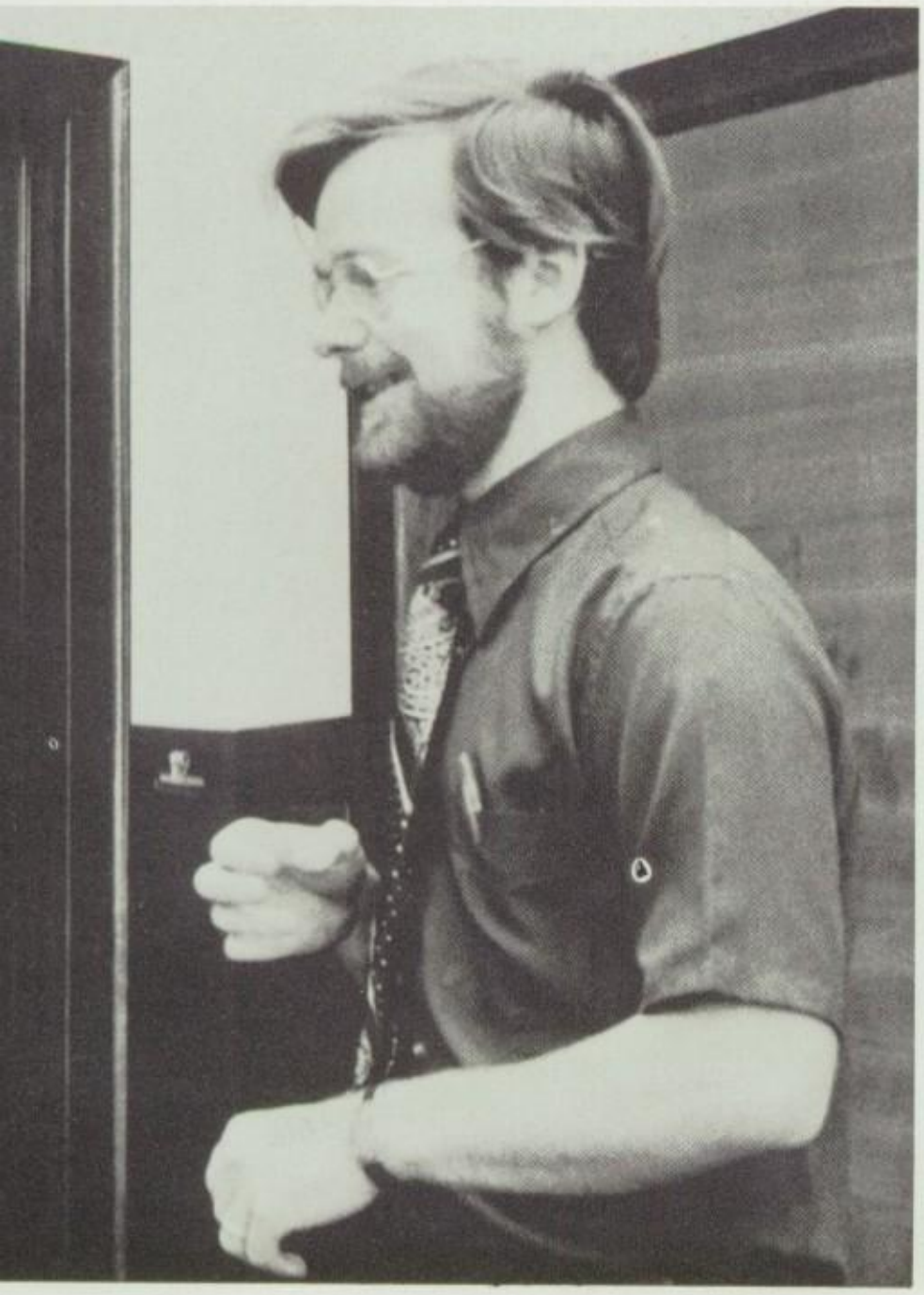

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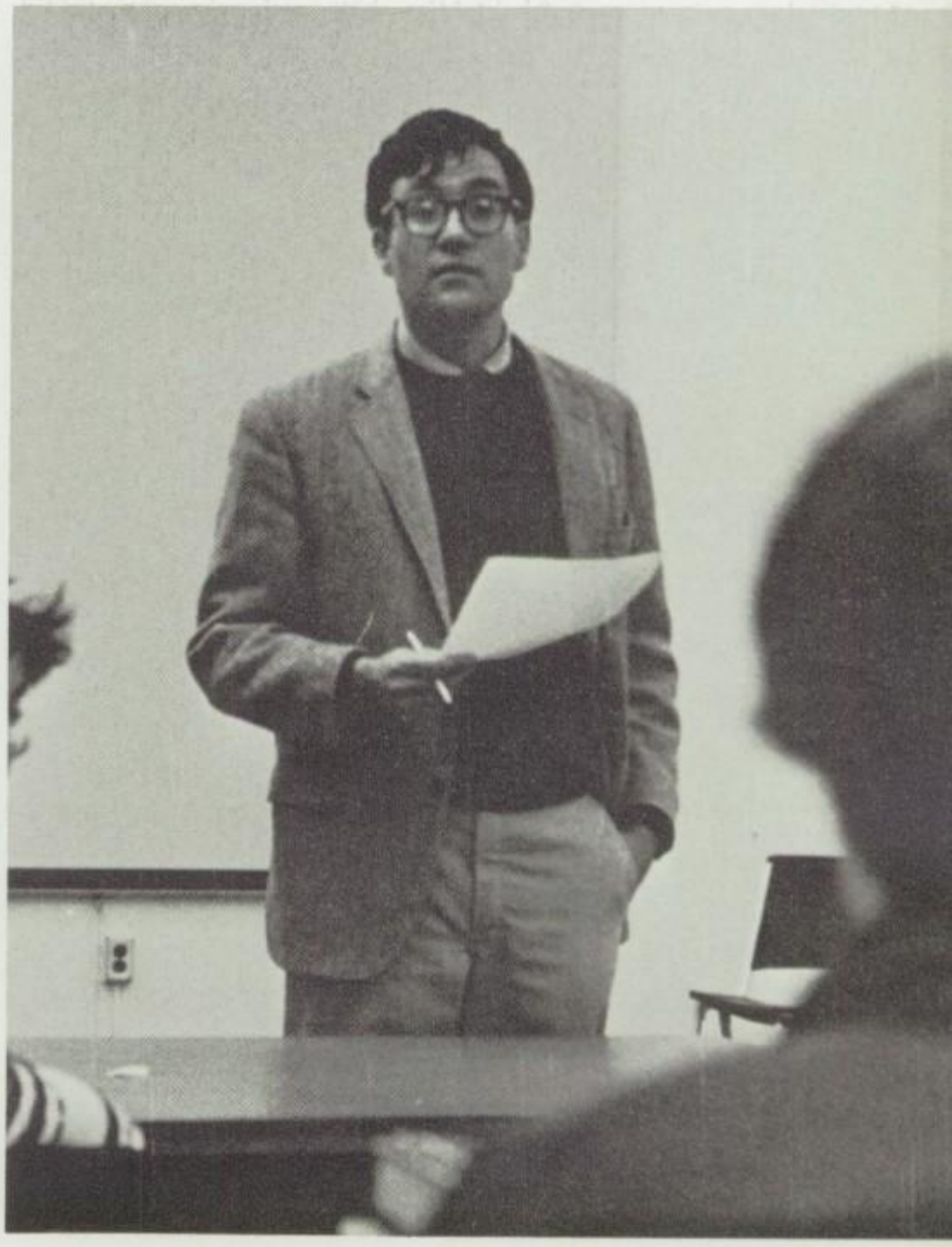

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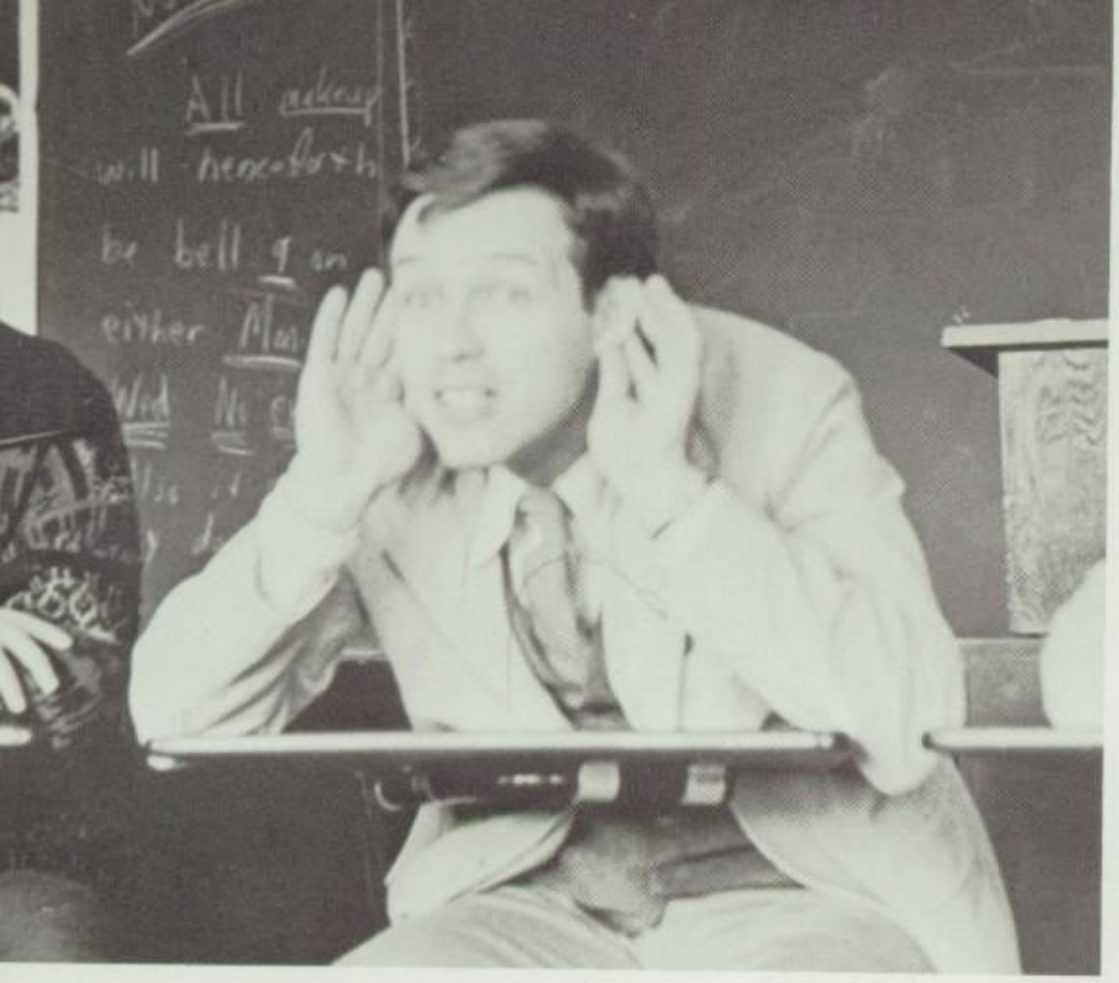

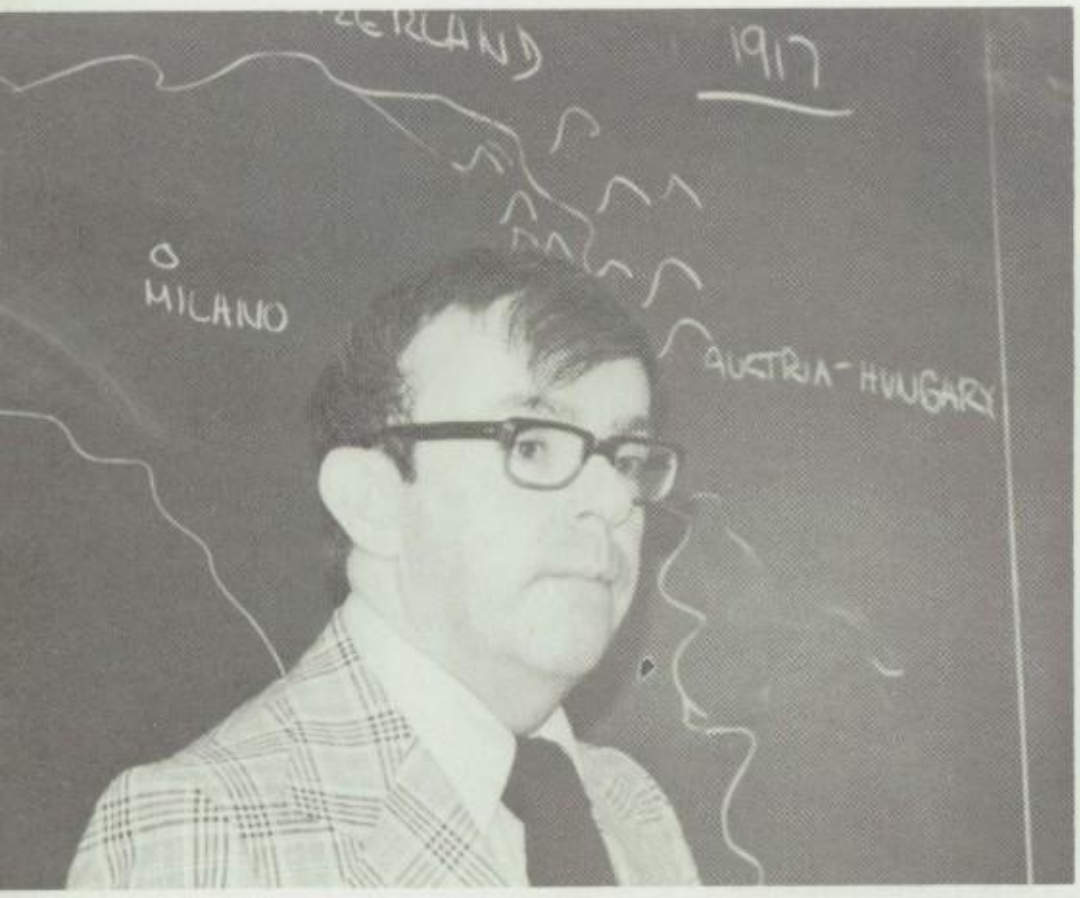
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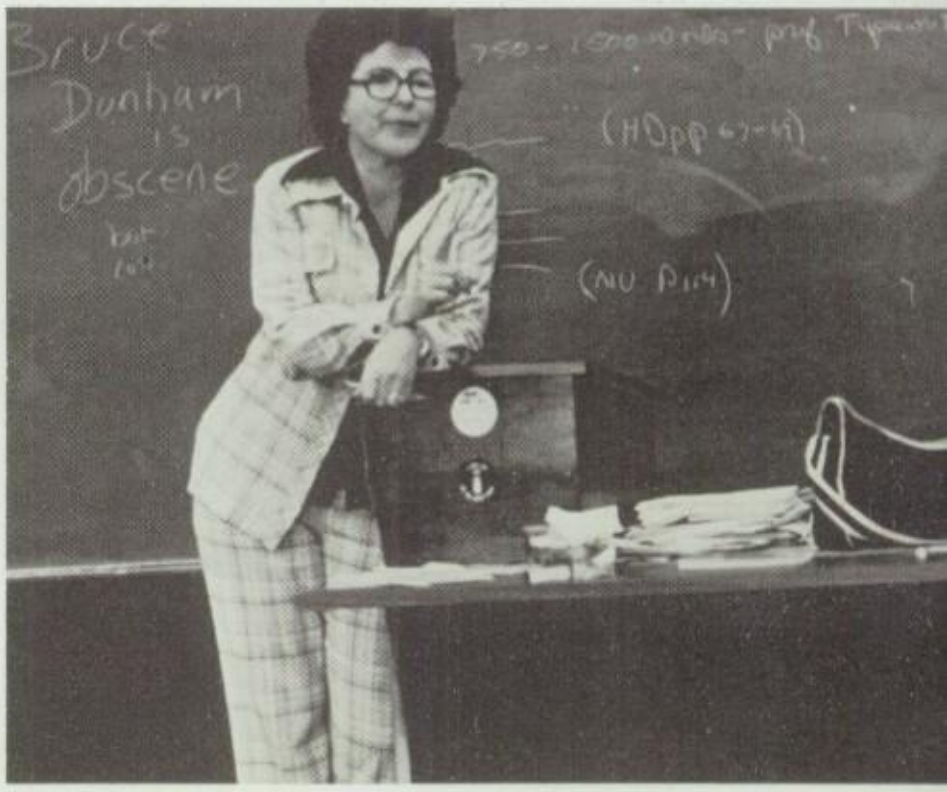
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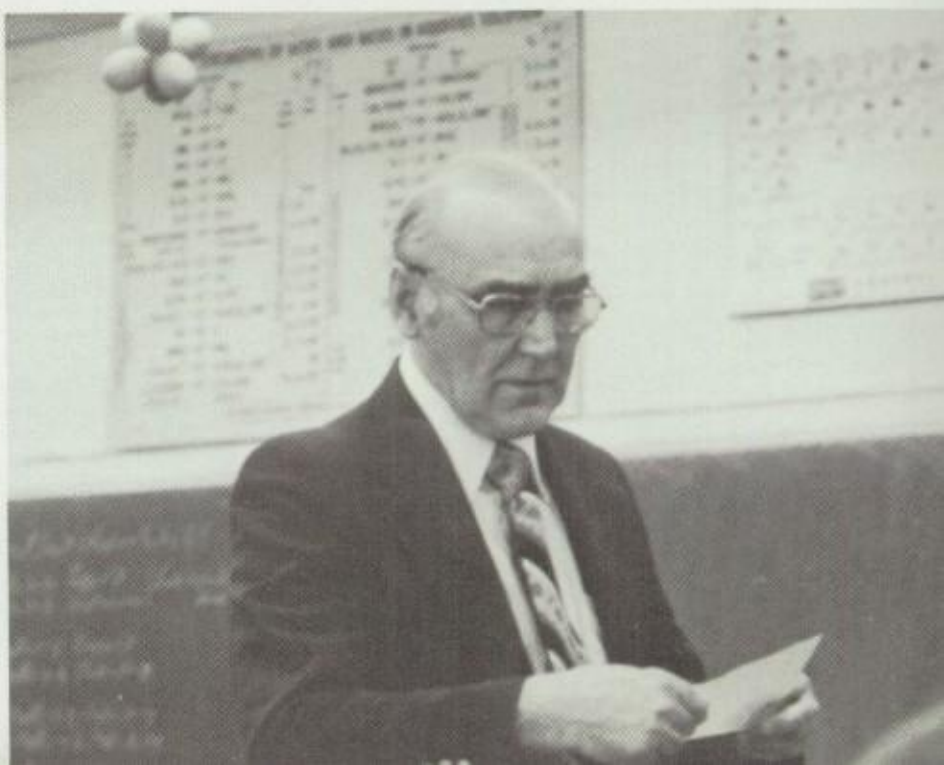

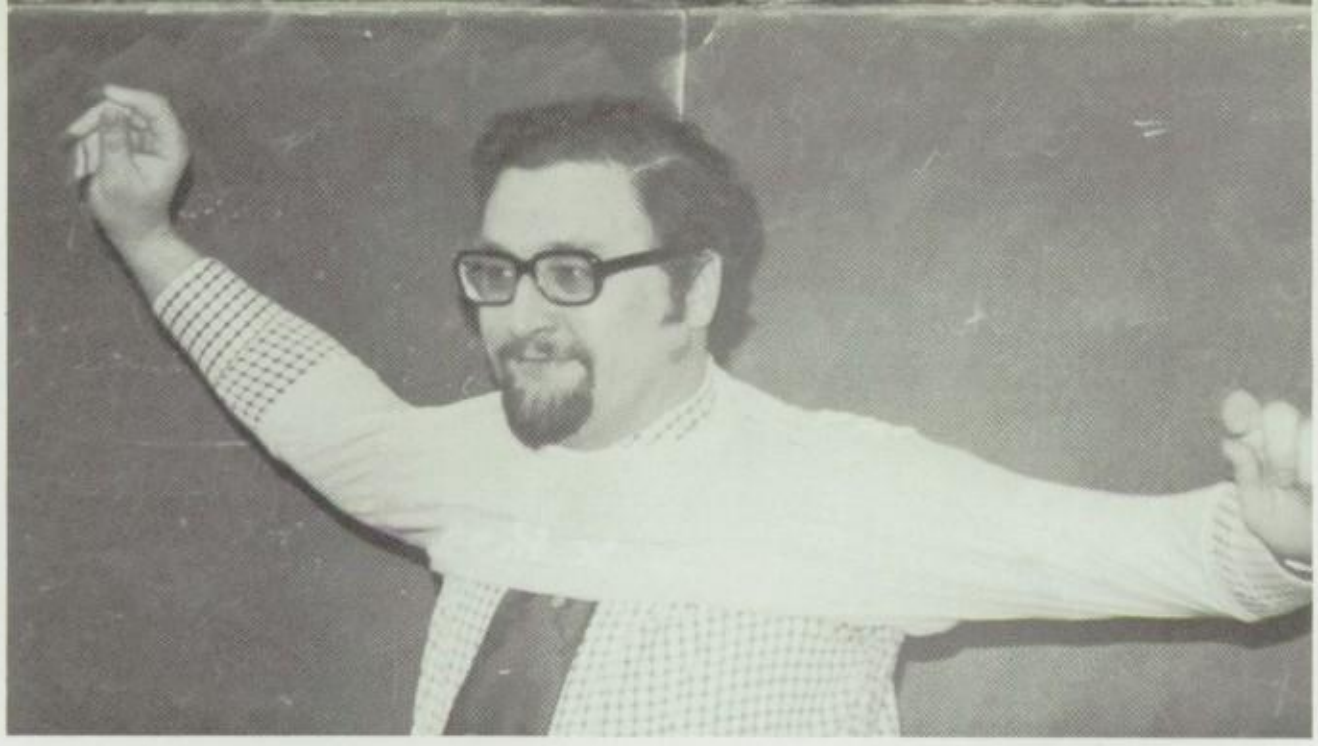

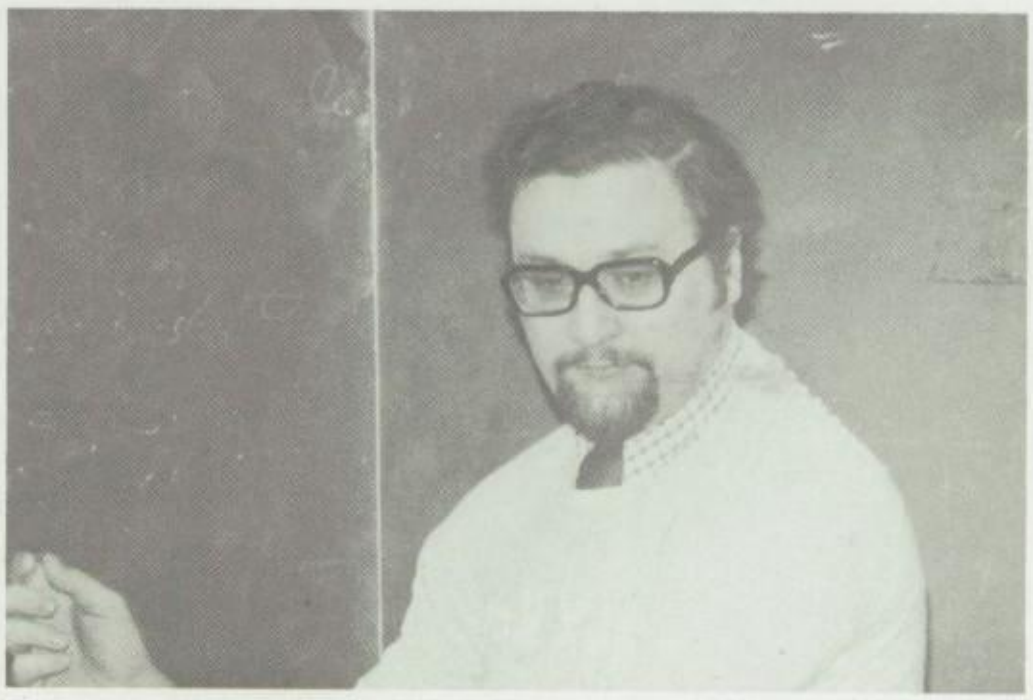

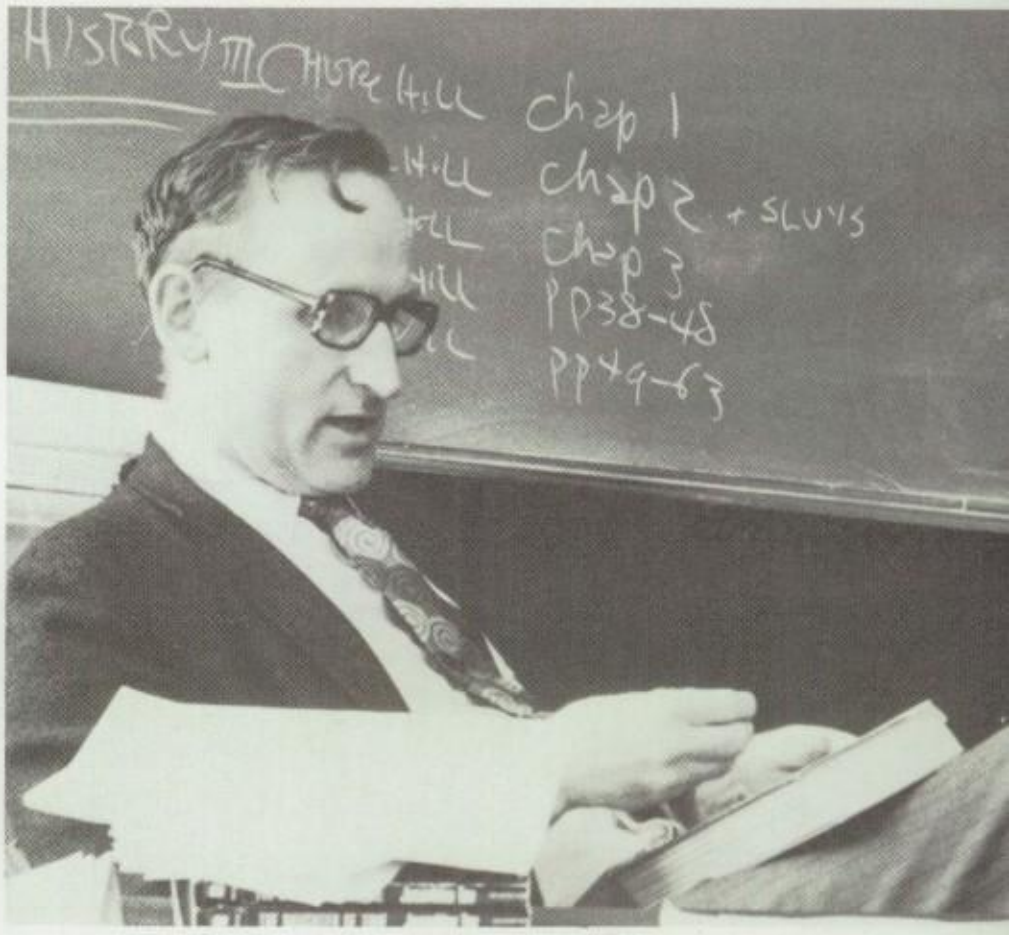
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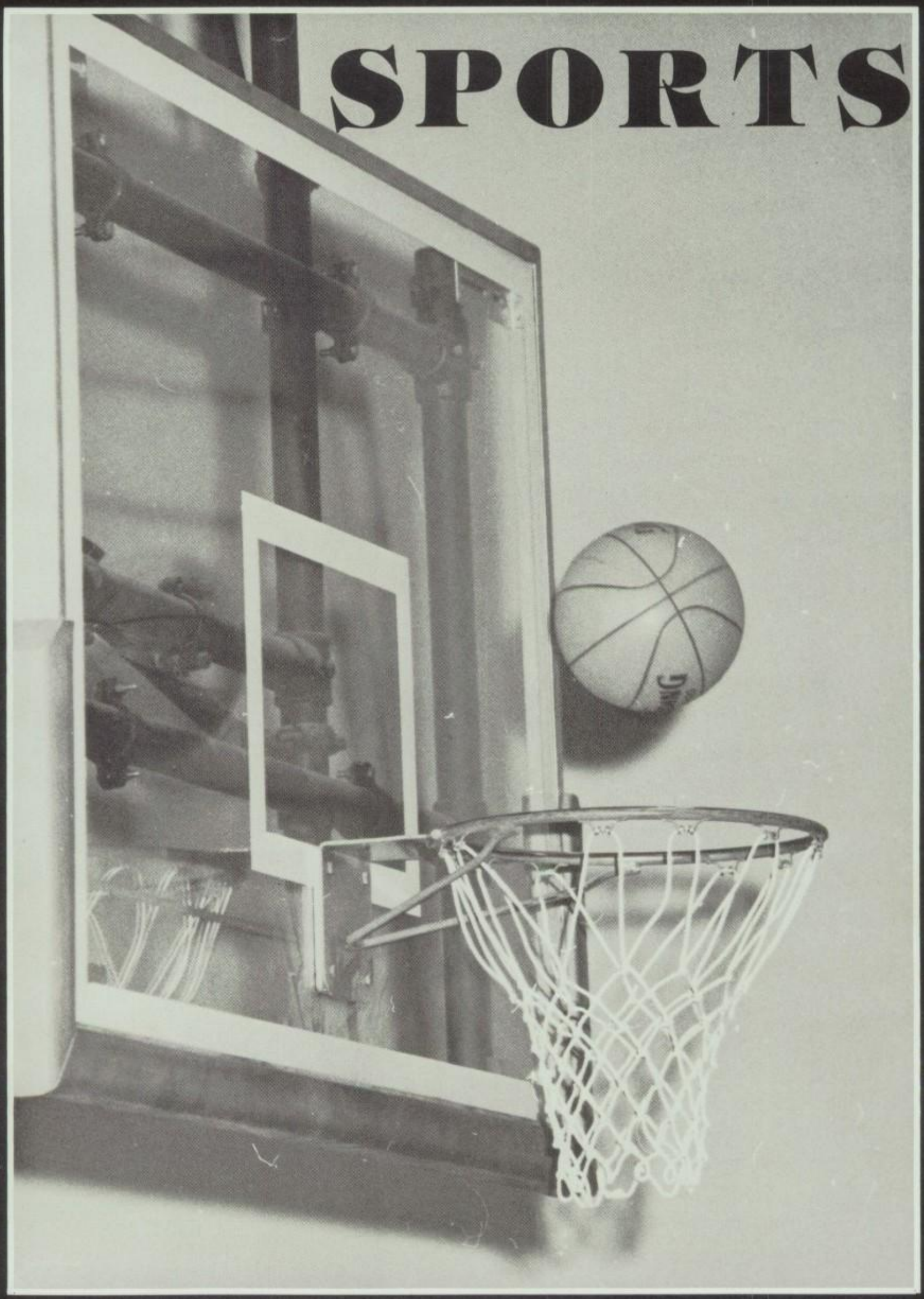

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Soccer

First Row, L. To R.: R. Cabot, C. Parkhurst, J. Cohen, C. Isaacs, V. Mackall, COCAPTAIN, L. Myers, COCAPTAIN, D. Piccone, J. Martin, J. Pearce, B. Goidell. Second Row: R. King, R. Decker, J. Musnuff, S. Demas, K. Larson, J. Harvey, W. Everett, P. Pollock, B. Bravman, K. Johnson, M. Hudacek, B. Libenson, R. Hughes. Third Row: P. Post, COACH, P. Taylor, E. Gardiner, J. Wartella, B. Burak, K. Bufalino, J. Zavada, M. Sherman, T. Iscovitz, B. Jennings, G. Myers, R. Leapley, A. Costello, ASSISTANT COACH.

With eight seniors on the team, the 1976 soccer team began the season hoping to record the school's first winning season in the sport. But, after four consecutive losses to open the campaign, the prospects were dimmed. A hard-fought victory over Mountain View at home gave Coach Post's Knights just the boost they needed. The team then proceeded to win seven of their last nine games to finish the season with a satisfying 7-6 log. Two of these victories were shutouts: one over archrival W.V.W. and the other over homecoming challenger, Moravian.

The defense which came on at the season's end was led by senior David Piccone. Freshmen Ray Cabot and Jay Harvey, junior James Pearce and senior Willard Everett, also did fine jobs.

Sophomore Charles Parkhurst (nine goals), seniors Charles Goldstein (seven goals), cocaptain Lyle Myers (five goals), and cocaptain Vern Mackall (four goals), provided the bulk of the offense which produced a record-setting twenty-seven goals. Jay Cohen and Keith Larsen also contributed goals in crucial situations.

The loss of the eight starters will be felt, but the experienced players returning in addition to those from a very good J.V. team should produce a very competitive team next year.

The 1976 soccer season was a success: as a result more spectators appeared and plans were made, after years of wandering, for the construction of the team's own field. The team and the school owe a debt of thanks to coaches Philip Post and Andrew Costello.

Field Hockey

First Row, L. To R.: N. Norris, M. Robinson, D. Wassil, M. Simms, F. Lumia, B. Iscovitz, J. Halliday, L. Kluger, A. Troup, H. Maslow, M. Davies. Second Row: K. Reynolds, B. Jennings, J. Maslow, A. Mack, J. Morris, S. Morris, A. Shouldice, J. McCarthy, E. Adams, T. Mack, A. Pearsall, D. Sifft, MANAGER, A. Miller, K. Klassner, COACH.

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Junior Varsity

The Wyoming Seminary Field Hockey Team had another especially fine season as the girls finished undefeated in their league for the second consecutive year.

Following the pattern of the previous year, the Tigers played their opening game against a tough Southern Columbia team. The loss did not affect this optimistic and talented team for from this point, Seminary, putting forth much effort, beat all of their competitors, except for ties with Coughlin and Dallas. With this fantastic record, the Seminary girls continued to reign as Wyoming Valley Hockey Champions. The team is losing many talented seniors, including captains Jeannie McCarthy, Susan Morris, and Midge Robinson. Also graduating are their two fine goalies Amy Miller and Kathy Reynolds. Other seniors include Betsy Iscovitz, Beth Jennings, Barbara Lumia, Val Mohn, M. V. P. Nancie Norris, Amy Shouldice, and Dianne Wassil.

There is indeed a fine group of talented girls left to build another strong team as many of the starters on this championship team were underclasspeople. There is every reason why the Tigers, led by the elected co-captains Alicia Mack and Jennifer Maslow, should have another successful season next year.

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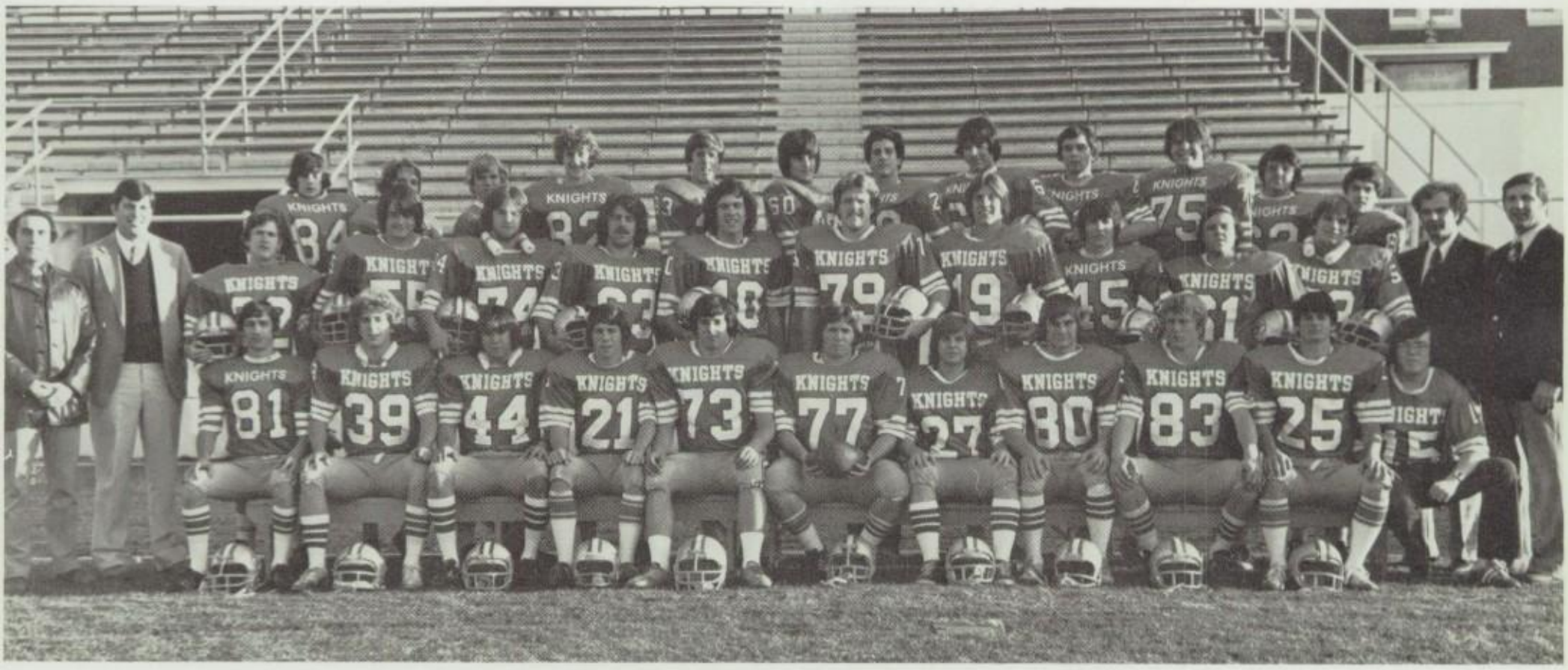

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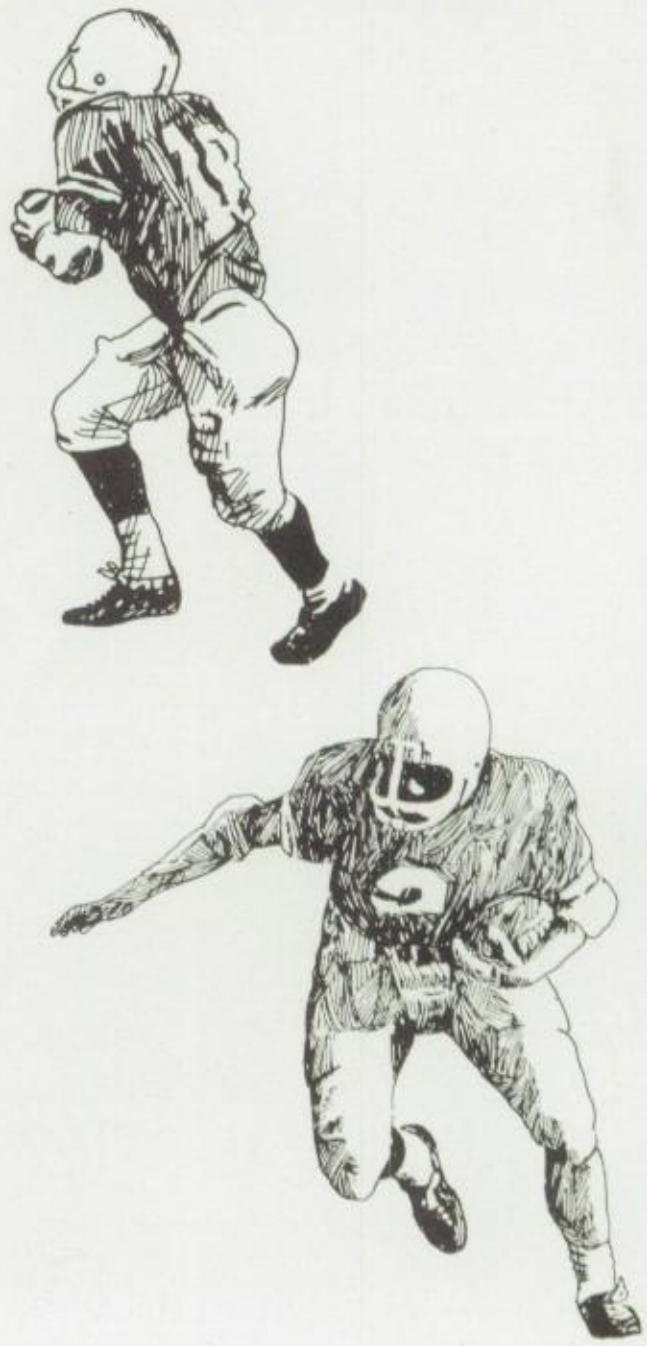
For the second time in Wyoming Seminary football history the Blue Knights had an unblemished record.

Their success can be attributed to a great coaching staff and the overall spirit of the team. Head coach Marvin Antinnes said that the team was a crazy group of guys, but they always got mentally prepared for a game.

Prepared they were, as three of the Knights' victories were shutouts. The defense was very stingy all season long, allowing only thirty-three points to be scored against them.

The offense was also impressive this season. The Knights scored a total of 140 points. The offensive attack was well balanced with over one thousand yards gained passing.

Overall the 1976 Blue Knights were a great team and deserve a great deal of praise for a job well done.



Fall Scorecard

Football

Sem	25	Avon	0
Sem	20	Blair	7
Sem	14	Williamson	12
Sem	20	Hill School	14
Sem	35	Peddie School	0
Sem	26	Chesire	0

Hockey

Sem	0	Southern Columbia	7
Sem	3	Abington Heights	1
Sem	2	Coughlin	2
Sem	3	Nanticoke	1
Sem	5	G.A.R.	0
Sem	3	Dallas	3
Sem	8	Wyoming Area	0
Sem	4	Crestwood	1
Sem	5	Meyers	0
Sem	3	Bishop O'Reilly	1
Sem	0	Delaware Valley	2
Sem	2	W.V.W.	1
Sem	3	Lehman	2

Soccer

Sem	1	Moravian	3
Sem	2	Montrose	7
Sem	0	W.V.W.	2
Sem	1	Blair	9
Sem	3	Mt. View	2
Sem	5	Elk Lake	4
Sem	0	Montrose	2
Sem	2	W.V.W.	0
Sem	3	Elk Lake	1
Sem	4	Moravian	0
Sem	2	Mt. View	1
Sem	1	Hill	7
Sem	3	Perkiomen	1

Swimming—Women

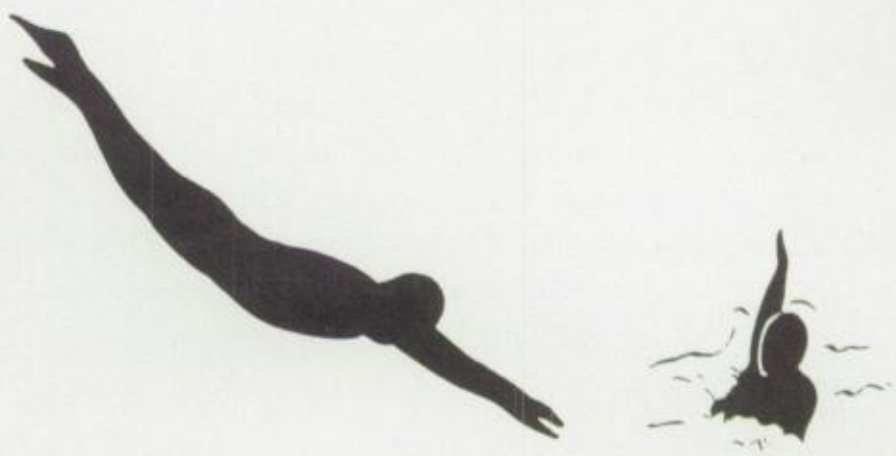
Below, L. To R.: N. Edwards, M. Robinson, CAPTAIN, B. Allen, L. Perotti, A. Prashker. Above: R. Llewellyn, C. Innes, J. Mermelstein, K. Smith, B. Iscovitz, J. Brown, D. Wassil, D. Herron, B. Hamilton, MANAGER, N. Iscovitz, MANAGER, C. Murray, COACH.

The girls' swim team had trouble defeating larger area swim teams. The 4-14 record does not show the great effort put out by its members. The energy crisis prohibited us from practicing every day, and many girls became sick because of the cold temperature of the pool area.

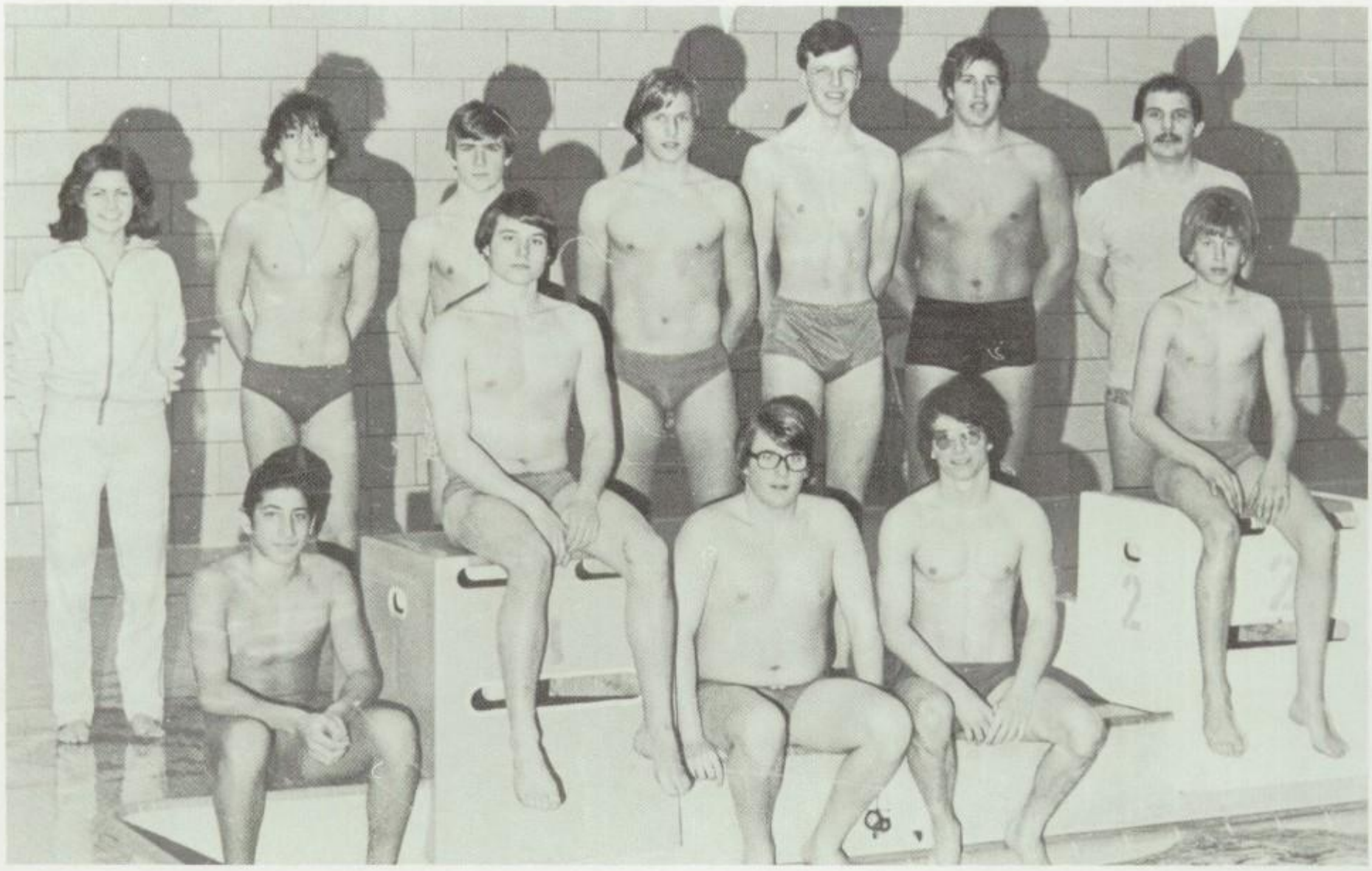
With a few minor setbacks, the team's morale remained high. Midge Robinson was fantastic as a swimmer and as our captain. She broke many records and leaves swimming as a champion. She made herself available to every member, helping with swimming techniques and team problems. Her enthusiasm provides great inspiration to all swimmers.

Although we were few, our swim team contained outstanding individuals. The medley relay team, consisting of Diane Wassil, Amy Prashker, Denise Harron, and Midge Robinson, broke a long-standing school record. Captain Midge Robinson swam events from the individual medley to the butterfly, performing well in all. Diane Wassil, diver, Betsy Iscovitz, distance swimmer, Denise Harron, "all strokes" swimmer, and Amy Prashker, breast stroker, all contributed many firsts during the season.

Each girl provided valuable points in meets. The team was just too small to compete with many larger teams. However, our effort was outstanding and each of us may be proud of that.



Swimming—Men



First Row, L. To R.: J. Wolf, F. Horrigan, CAPTAIN, J. Horrigan, J. Menn, B. Burak. Second Row: J. Harvey, MANAGER, N. Lyons, C. Fields, M. Brown, J. Bennetto, S. Roos, B. Bergstrasser, COACH.

For the boys' swimming team, 1977 was a paradoxical season. With the absence of a coach early in the school year, and few swimmers out for the team, the prospects of bettering last year's 4-10 record looked bleak. However, with the arrival of coach Bob Bergstrasser, and with the participation of more students than expected, Seminary finished 6-6 in the league and 6-8 overall, doing better than it had in previous years.

Most of the points throughout the season were provided by captain Frank Horrigan, swimming the 200 and 500 freestyles, Mike Brown in 100 backstroke and 200 Individual Medley, and Steve Roos in 50 freestyle and diving. John Horrigan, swimming the distance events, contributed in the second half of the season. Joe Menn and Phil Powlick helped the team by swimming breaststroke individually and in relays, as did Jack Bennetto and Jim Wolf in the backstroke and butterfly, respectively. Bill Burak was the most improved swimmer in 1977, winning his first varsity letter while swimming a wide variety of events. Norman Lyons and Chris Fields rounded out the team, both putting forth a solid effort throughout the season.

With the dedication shown by the team members continued plus their steady improvement, next season should provide a much stronger swimming program for participants and spectators alike.

Basketball—Women

First Row, L. To R.: L. Kluger, MANAGER, S. Morris, CAPTAIN, G. Spohrer, CAPTAIN, L. Harkness, MANAGER. Second Row: K. Klassner, COACH, G. Germain, A. Mack, E. Adams, K. Reynolds, V. Mohn, J. Sciandra, K. Cresko, F. Lumia. Third Row: A. Shouldice, K. Sampson, N. Alexandrian, W. Flick, M. Henry, N. Swain, D. D'Zurko, V. Demas, D. Kistler.

The Wyoming Seminary Girls' Basketball Team, with more than four returning letterwomen, began their '76-'77 season very optimistically. However, while the team finished the season with a winning record, there were some disappointing losses.

Playing in the Wyoming Valley Basketball League, the team faced some stiff competition in schools such as Dallas Area, St. Johns, and G. A. R. There were also several upsets throughout the season as we failed to beat the teams we really should have beaten.

The team is losing six seniors. Among those leaving are senior co-captains Sue Morris and Ginny Spohrer, and Val Mohn, Kathy Reynolds, Amy Shouldice, and Judy Iscovitz.

A bright spot this year was the recognition and post-season awards received by two Seminary players—Ellie Adams and Susan Morris. Both Ellie and Sue made second team all-stars for the West while Sue also made first team all-scholasitc.

Next year's team, led by captains-elect Ellie Adams and Alicia Mack should turn in a very fine season.

Basketball—Men

VARSITY, Kneeling: E. Gronka, E. Wroblewski, COCAPTAINS. Standing: A. Thomas, ASS'T COACH, C. Parkhurst, C. Bufalino, C. Crawford, B. Musto, R. Grosek, M. Balester, B. Pelczar, D. Zavada, K. Larsen, L. Butera, G. Vanderburg, HEAD COACH, C. Gommer, MANAGER.

Junior Varsity, L. To R.: B. Jennings, J. Zavada, K. Bufalino, T. Iscovitz, D. Robbins, F. Kaye, B. Pelczar, C. Crawford, K. Larsen, L. Butera, C. Parkhurst, A. Thomas, J.V. COACH.

This year's team finished with a very respectable 11-10 record. The season was a very interesting one, and, needless to say to anyone who followed the action, Mr. Vanderburg and the team members did not agree with the majority of referees' judgements throughout the season.

The season will undoubtedly be remembered by the first league game against G. A. R., the team that went on to win the league championship. In the game, with no time left on the clock, Seminary led by one point. Everyone thought the game was over and the Knights had won. One official, however, claimed that a foul had been committed just prior to the final buzzer, and that G. A. R. was entitled to two foul shots. As for this call, it would be safe to say that a large majority of all present were not in agreement, evidenced by the many screaming fans as the opposing team member sank both foul shots. Unfortunately, this game was the climax of the season.

Finishing 5-1 for the remainder of the first half of league play spurred enthusiasm for the second half, but a two week, sub-zero weather spell prevented the team from practicing. The layoff had an adverse affect on the team's play and certainly did not help the enthusiasm.

The starting line for most of the season consisted of Ed Gronka, Eric Wroble, C. J. Bufalino, Rob Grosek, and Matt Balester. Bill Musto, Brian Pelczar, and Charles Parkhurst played key substitution roles.

Both Ed Gronka and C. J. Bufalino were elected to All-Star teams at the conclusion of league play. Rob Grosek received an honorable mention.

Overall, the season would have to be termed a successful one, for it provided much excitement, and drew the largest crowds for Sem basketball games in a long while. With at least three returning starters, the future looks even brighter. Most important, thanks to Coach Vanderburg and Coach Thomas for all their time and consideration.

Coaches And Most Valuable Players

Kneeling, L. To R.: S. Boyanoski, football; D. Boyd, wrestling; C. Parkhurst, tennis; C. Goldstein, soccer; E. Gronka, basketball; F. Horrigan, swimming; J. Hallingstad, football. Seated: C. Alexander, softball; K. Reynolds, softball; N. Norris, hockey; M. Robinson, swimming; S. Morris, basketball; R. Torony, cheerleading. Standing: B. Musto, golf; coaches Vanderburg (basketball, track), Klassner (hockey, basketball, softball), Moriarity (golf), Bergstrasser (swimming), Post (soccer), Murray (swimming), Kersey (baseball), Lull (tennis), and Antinnes (football).

N.E. Pa. Field Hockey League Champions 1976

Right To Left—Mr. Sylvester Bozinski, Hockey League President; Karen Klassner, coach; Jeannie McCarthy, Sue Morris, Midge Robinson, cocaptains.

Winter Scorecard

Swimming—Women

Sem	32	Hoban	51
Sem	32	Meyers	50
Sem	28	W.V.W.	55
Sem	102	Pittston Area	68
Sem	30	Bishop O'Reilly	53
Sem	31	Nanticoke	52
Sem	53	Wyoming Area	26
Sem	37	Coughlin	46
Sem	46	Blair	35
Sem	67	W.V.W.	102
Sem	44	Nanticoke	119
Sem	30	Bishop O'Reilly	53
Sem	98	Wyoming Area	63
Sem	82	Blair	85
Sem	38	Pittston Area	45
Sem	35	Coughlin	48
Sem	31	Meyers	52

Basketball—Women

Sem	64	Coughlin	78
Sem	58	Freeland MMI	54
Sem	41	Northwest	83
Sem	64	Perkiomen	55
Sem	89	Blair	48
Sem	47	Meyers	60
Sem	49	G.A.R.	50
Sem	91	Hanover	109
Sem	55	Hill	93
Sem	59	Seton	50
Sem	73	Crestwood	66
Sem	69	Dallas	50
Sem	62	W.S. Tech	45
Sem	63	Lehman	41
Sem	61	G.A.R.	82
Sem	62	Hanover	68
Sem	59	Seton	77
Sem	73	Crestwood	65
Sem	72	Dallas	61
Sem	75	W.S. Tech	63
Sem	50	Lehman	61

Basketball—Men

Sem	44	Coughlin	42
Sem	26	W.V.W.	72
Sem	22	Meyers	59
Sem	62	G.A.R.	72
Sem	51	Hanover	19
Sem	50	Seton	70
Sem	59	Crestwood	25
Sem	45	Dallas	51
Sem	42	W.S. Tech	41
Sem	54	Lehman	36
Sem	27	G.A.R.	51
Sem	69	Hanover	28
Sem	39	Seton	60
Sem	65	Crestwood	38
Sem	40	Dallas	63
Sem	57	W.S. Tech	42
Sem	44	Lehman	30

Swimming—Men

Sem	28	Bishop Hoban	55
Sem	49	Meyers	33
Sem	62	Nanticoke	100
Sem	54	Wyoming Area	20
Sem	51	Pittston Area	32
Sem	37	W.V.W.	46
Sem	17	Blair	65
Sem	23	Hoban	60
Sem	29	Nanticoke	50
Sem	39	Pittston Area	35
Sem	59	W.V.W.	97
Sem	102	Wyoming Area	60
Sem	44	Blair	114
Sem	46	Meyers	37

Wrestling

First Row, L. To R.: B. Flick, S. Holtzman, J. Rogers. Second Row: R. Macarty, S. Ristagno, L. Davis, J. Romanowski, M. Fields, D. Boyd. Third Row: T. Goode, MANAGER, C. Coburn, D. Hoover, D. Rigle, T. Shannon, G. Weibel, P. Hunt, Don Flick, COACH.

For the 1976-77 season, the Knights of Wyoming Seminary improved to a three-win/six-loss record. This year's losses were not nearly as decisive as those in recent years.

At the Girard Tournament in Philadelphia, an invitational tournament of twelve teams, the Knights placed second. The credit for this achievement can go mainly to the four champs Dale Boyd, Steve Holtzman, Jim Rogers, and Chip Heffner, and to freshman Leon Davis for placing third. Boyd also took trophies for Outstanding Wrestler and for Most Pins in the Least Amount of Time. The Outstanding Wrestler has has been from among Seminary's team members since the Knights have attended the tournament.

Boyd, Rogers, and Holtzman were nearly tied in the team's voting for Most Valuable Wrestler; the closeness of the vote is indicative of the fine quality of all three wrestlers. Dale Boyd was voted M. V. W.

Some eyes were opened during the Bishop O'Reilly match earlier in the season. Because the grapplers were so psyched for the match, they showed their true potential by performing remarkably in almost every bout.

Next season should prove more successful than this one. This year's team was a young one, made up of next year's returning sophomores and juniors. The upper weights will need to be filled by new students. Another indication of the Knights' projected success will be the continued fine coaching of head coach Don Flick and assistant coach Dave Davies.

Softball

First Row, L. To R.: B. Iscovitz, V. Mohn, E. Adams, K. Reynolds, B. Jennings. J. Iscovitz. Second Row: M. Davies, J. Dunham, C. Alexander, H. Maslow, V. Demas, N. Swain, J. Davis, C. Veras, W. Flick. Third Row: K. Klassner, COACH, M. Castor, J. Maslow, A. Mack, D. Sifft, B. Segrave-Daly, N. Davis, N. Neary, G. Griffith, D. D'Zurko, P. Mack, M. Darling, MANAGER.

This year's Sem Softies, although very young and inexperienced, managed to have a winning season of nine wins and five losses. Practice began immediately following Spring vacation with thirty-seven enthusiastic girls. We had only two weeks before our first exhibition game and Coach Klassner had quite a choice to make: those eighteen girls who would wear uniforms and be the most likely to play. We were scheduled to open the 1977 season against, predictably, our most difficult opposition, Lake Lehman. The starting lineup was still not definite and, even though we lost that game 8-5, we gave it a fighting try.

The team captains, Kathy Reynolds and Ellie Adams, gave much strength and determination to the team, leading us through the remainder of the season. Those girls who started were: infielders Kathy Reynolds (catcher), Ellie Adams (third base), Nancy Neary (second base), Daphne D'Zurko (first base), outfielders Alicia Mack and Valerie Mohn (left field), Carol Alexander (centerfield), Dawn Sifft and Betsy Iscovitz (right field), and pitchers Jamie Davis, Jannell Decker, and Judy Iscovitz. Next year's captains will be Ellie Adams and Carol Alexander. This year's most valuable players were Kathy Reynolds and Carol Alexander.

Toward the end of the season the question of whether or not the Softies would have a winning record was intensified by another change in the starting lineup. In the G.A.R. game, Kathy Reynolds and Daphne D'Zurko collided while running to catch a foul fly ball between home and first base. Neither was seriously injured, but it became apparent the season would have to be finished without them. Despite the inexperience of the new replacements, the Softies pulled through and came out ahead—winning.

Track

Kneeling, Left To Right, R. Williams, T. Evans, C. Crawford, C. Goldstein, M. Hudacek, M. Sherman, L. Myers, R. Chapman, T. Emmet, V. Mackall, G. Myers, Standing L. To R., J. Harvey, manager, G. Vanderburg, COACH, C. Sarnecki, J. Hallingstad, S. Boyanoski, N. Anderson, P. Trowbridge, D. Judy, J. Pearce, M. Herbert, T. Czajkowski.

The 1977 Track team, led by co-captains Tim Evans and Conrad Sarnecki, suffered through a disappointing .500 season. At the outset of the season, team members expected to produce a more impressive record than in the past, and, with at least seven meets planned, they felt that they would have ample opportunity to display their true talents. As it turned out, only four meets were actually held, with Sem defeating Bishop O'Reilly's team and a strong Wilkes College team. The Blue Knight's losses were to Blair and to Sem's perennial rival, Crestwood High School.

Although the Knights found the season itself disappointing, there were many impressive individual performances turned in by team members. The 880 yard relay team (Myers, Williams, Chapman, and Goldstein), and the mile relay team (Sarnecki, Boyanoski, Evans, and Hallingstad) were both undefeated. Hallingstad also set two new school records, one in the javelin throw, and the other in the 330 yd. intermediate hurdles. The field events were dominated by Mike Herbert and Neal Anderson, who both put the shot, and Dave Judy, who threw the discus. A great deal of promise was shown by underclassmen Tom Czajkowski, Chris Crawford, Jamie Pearce, Mark Sherman, Mike Hudacek, and Garth Myers. Because of these underclassmen, next year's team can undoubtedly look forward to a fine season.

Baseball

First Row, L To R: S. Beyer, D. Zavada,T. Goode,K. Blight, J. Menn, D. Brandwene. Second Row: J. Kersey, COACH, J. Hoyes, J. Reese, T. Iscovitz, B. Lamoreaux, M. Smith, COACH. Third Row: S. Blight, MANAGER, R. Cabot, J. Zavada, R. Menn, S. Paterson, J. Hendrzak, B. Jennings, R. Decker.

The baseball team finished 2-12 in league play, winning their first game against a tough Lake Lehman team. The remainder of the season proved to be much more difficult than the first game, though. Competition was keen in the league because of many good pitchers, as well as powerful hitters.

With only two seniors, the team's youth and inexperience proved crucial as many field errors plagued games that might have been victories. Scott Beyer, one of the two seniors, turned in many fine performances at the short-stop position. Bill Lamoreaux and Dave Zavada, both underclassmen, received all-star honorable mention.

With all but two returning, the team's future looks good. More interest and participation would greatly help to make the next season all the more successful.

Tennis

Row One, L. To R.: B. Ufberg, J. Schiowitz, S. Slaff, L. Kluger, J. Sciandra, J. Halliday, R. Llewellyn, D. Kluger. Row Two: B. Burak, E. Gardiner, L. Smulowitz, C. Parkhurst, T. Eagen, J. Cohen, R. Kresge, B. Libenson, R. Hughes, T. Mosca, B. Goidell, M. Troy. Row Three: J. Morris, M. Nelson, M. Imperiale, A. Nelson, R. Robbins, S. Parkhurst, D. Robbins, J. Hoyle, D. Light, D. Schwager, R. Williams, N. Lyons, O.C. Lull, COACH.

For the second year in a row, the Wyoming Seminary Tennis Team completed the season undefeated. With a perfect 13-0 in 1976 and a sparkling 18-0 record in 1977, the tennis team has compiled thirty-one consecutive victories. Playing in the Southern Division of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Tennis League, the team easily won their division, and then followed that up with an impressive playoff victory over Dallas Area. Advancing into the finals against Abington Heights, the Northern Division winners, the Sem team won the championship with a 6-1 score.

Led by a fine coach in O.C. Lull, the team is young and should continue with another strong showing next season. A characteristic of the talent on this team is the fact that all of the leading singles players were undefeated. MVP Charles Parkhurst, who is in his sophomore year, showed an 18-0 record for the season while his brother, Scott, who was elected captain for next season, matched that 18-0 log. Charles and Scott played in first and second singles positions respectively.

Senior cocaptain Jay Cohen, playing in the third singles position, also finished with an 18-0 record, completing an extremely successful four years of tennis for Wyoming Seminary. Freshman Donald Robbins displayed some excellent tennis in his 17-0 season at fourth singles. Les Smulowitz, a sophomore, turned in a 13-0 mark at the fifth singles slot.

In doubles action, exceptional tennis was played by sophomores Bill Burak, Dan Kluger, Liz Kluger, and Norman Lyons, juniors Bill Goidell, Tom Mosca, and Rob Robbins, and senior cocaptain Ray Kresge.

The tennis team of 1977 was fortunate in having a devout and dedicated manager in Joan Morris.

Past, present, and future all look bright for Wyoming Seminary Tennis, and with only cocaptains Cohen and Kresge leaving, this team of thirty-seven players should bring a notable season in 1978.

Golf

This year's golf team wasn't as successful as it had expected to be, for it had only a .500 record. The team this year lacked depth and experience, for the starting lineup consisted of one junior, four sophomores, and a freshman. Yet the future does look bright for our young team. The team members were captain Lester Smulowitz, Billy Musto, Karl Blight, Dan Kluger, John Hendrzak, and Rusty Tippett. Scott Paterson alternated in and out during the season.

There was a bright spot during the season. Two of our team members made the All-Star team for the West squad. They were Billy Musto and Lester Smulowitz. Also Lester made the All Scholastic team, which consists of the top eight players in the league. Our team strongly feels Billy should have made it also, but unfortunately he was not selected.

Our whole team would like to thank Dr. Moriarity, our coach, for all he did for us. Even though he wasn't able to help our golf games (we helped his), he was lots of fun to be with.

Next year's team looks promising, for everyone will be returning. Our goals are to snap Wyoming Area's 108 match winning streak and to win the league title. And we're very confident we'll do both.

Spring Scorecard

Wrestling

Sem	20	W. Scranton	34
Sem	24	Mercersburg	35
Sem	21	Bishop O'Hara	42
Sem	37	Bishop O'Reilly	21
Sem	36	Scranton Tech	18
Sem	39	Perkiomen	27
Sem	18	Hill	43
Sem	14	N.Y.M.A.	46
Sem	13	Bishop O'Hara	45

Track

Sem	61	Crestwood	67
Sem	70	Wilkes	40
Sem	108	Bishop O'Reilly	33
Sem	39	Blair	79

Softball

Sem	6	W.V.W.	9
Sem	7	Lehman	10
Sem	10	Seton	9
Sem	13	G.A.R.	2
Sem	2	Dallas	19
Sem	17	Hanover	6
Sem	5	W.S. Tech	15
Sem	21	Crestwood	11
Sem	8	Lehman	17
Sem	13	Seton	7
Sem	10	G.A.R.	0
Sem	10	Hanover	9
Sem	7	Dallas	19
Sem	10	Crestwood	8
Sem	17	W.S. Tech	7

Tennis

Sem	5	Perkiomen	0
Sem	6	Lehman	1
Sem	6	W.V.W.	1
Sem	6	Dallas	1
Sem	5	Blair	0
Sem	7	Coughlin	0
Sem	7	Meyers	0
Sem	6	Scranton Prep	1
Sem	6	Lehman	1
Sem	5	W.V.W.	2
Sem	8	Scranton U.J.V.'s	1
Sem	6	Dallas	1
Sem	5	Coughlin	0
Sem	9	Williamsport	0
Sem	6	Meyers	1
Sem	7	Scranton Prep	0
Sem	7	Dallas	0
Sem	6	Abington Heights	1

Baseball

Sem	10	Lake Lehman	8
Sem	3	Seton	15
Sem	3	G.A.R.	19
Sem	5	Dallas	7
Sem	0	Hanover	14
Sem	2	W.S. Tech	12
Sem	4	Crestwood	11
Sem	0	Lehman	11
Sem	0	Seton	5
Sem	1	G.A.R.	3
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Sem	8	Crestwood	3

Golf

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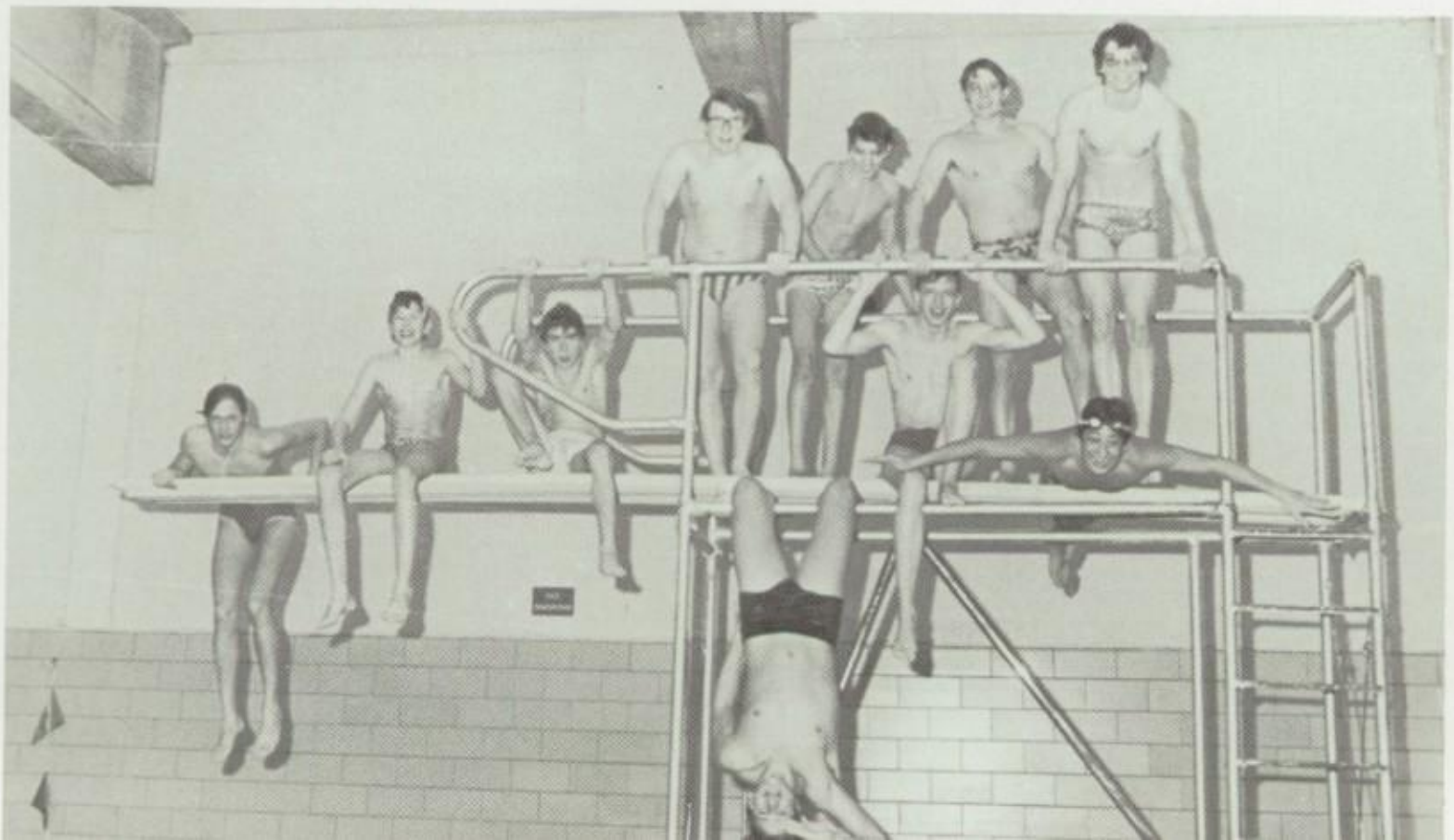

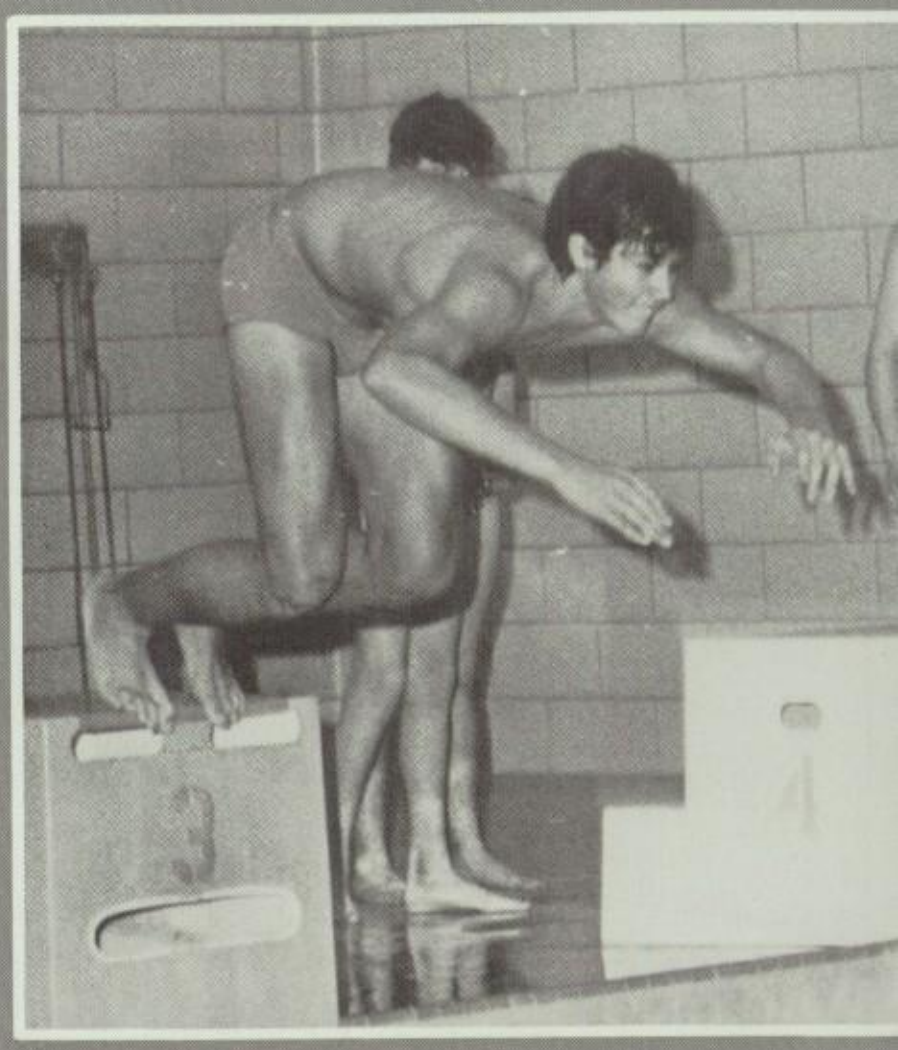

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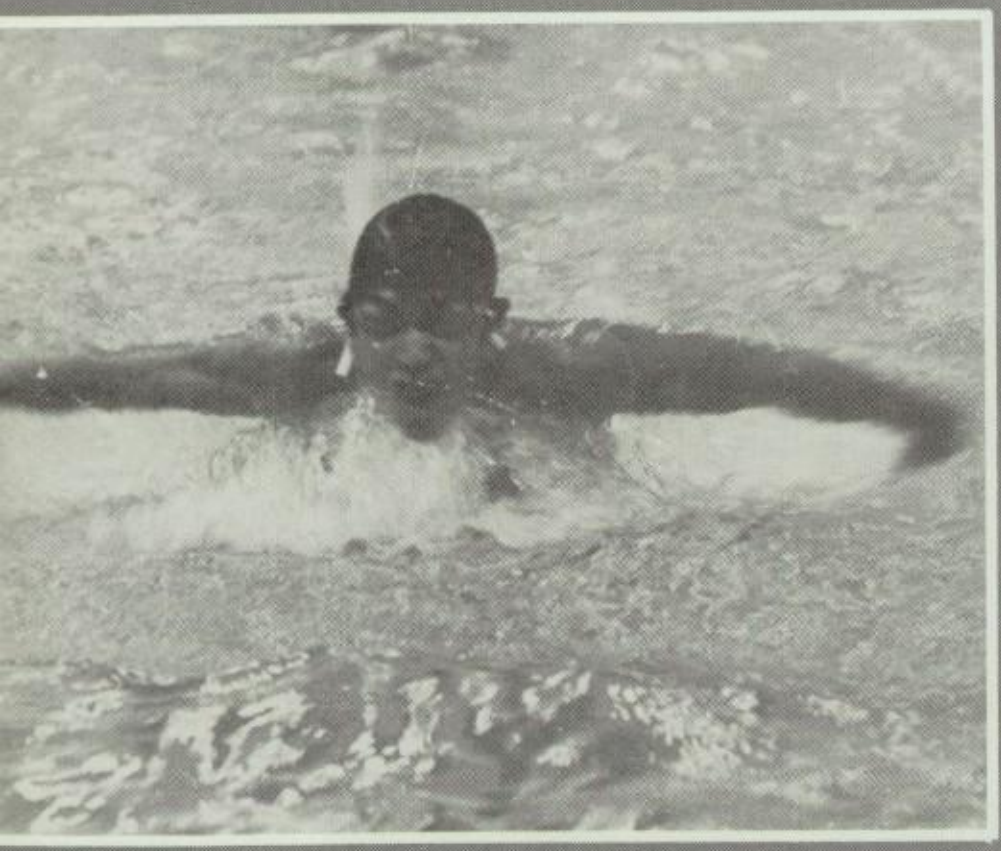

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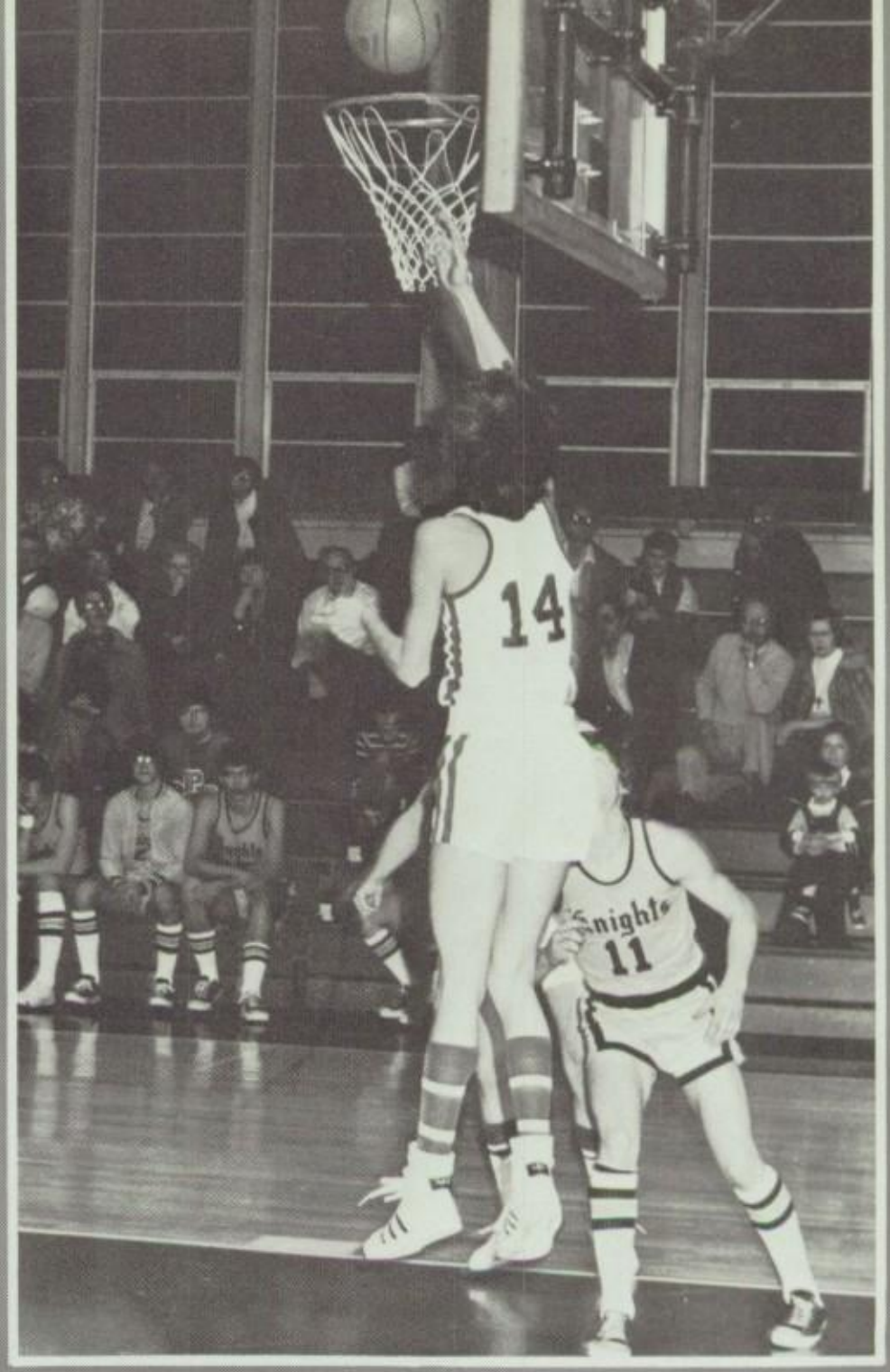
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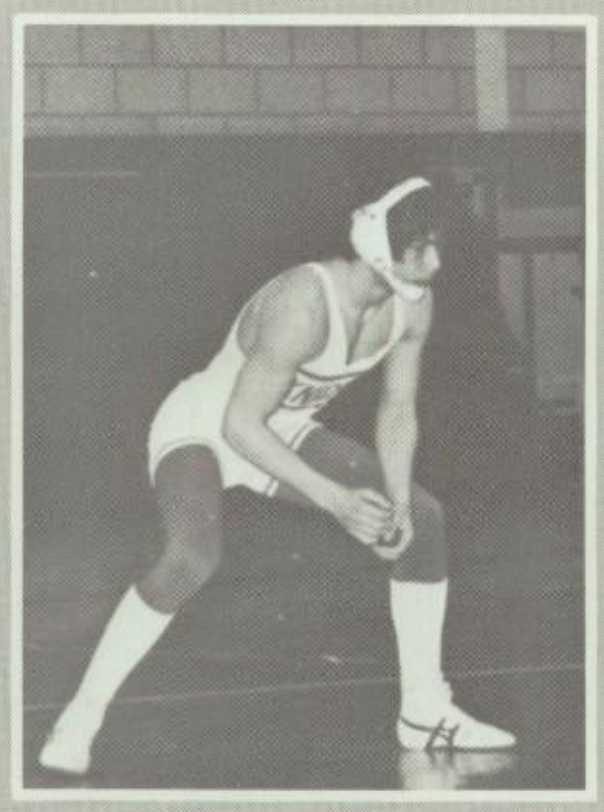

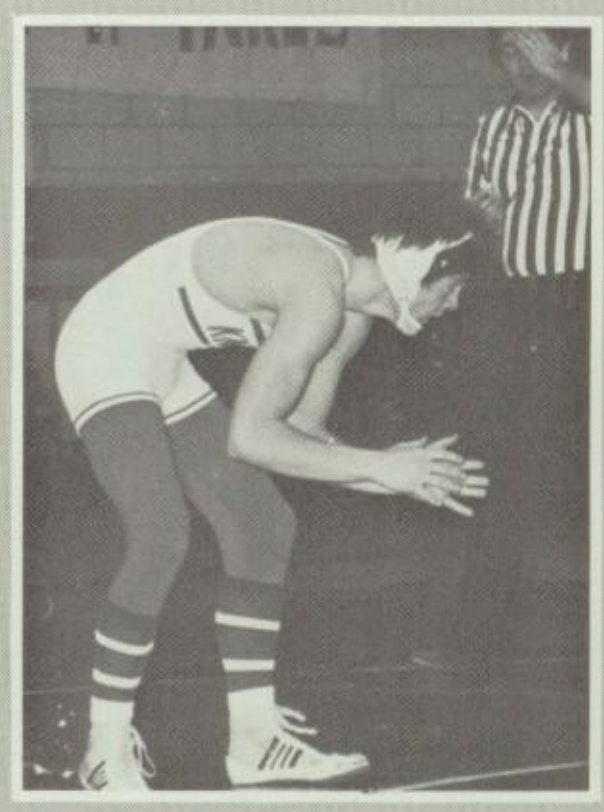

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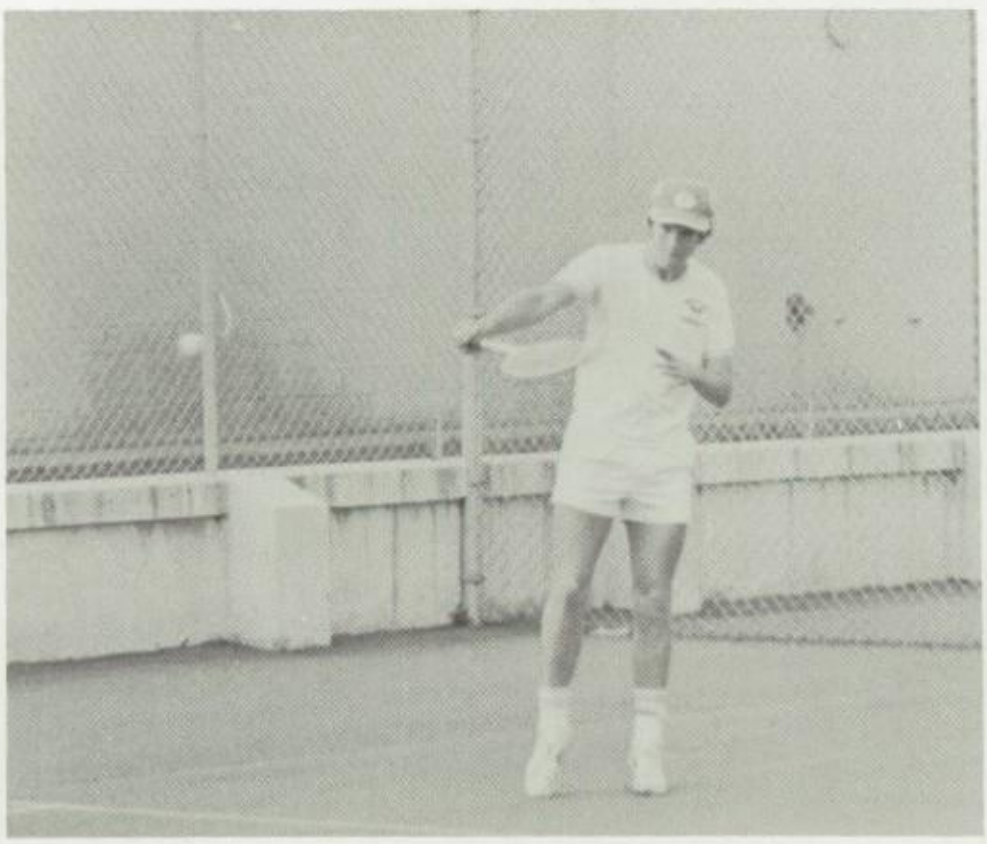

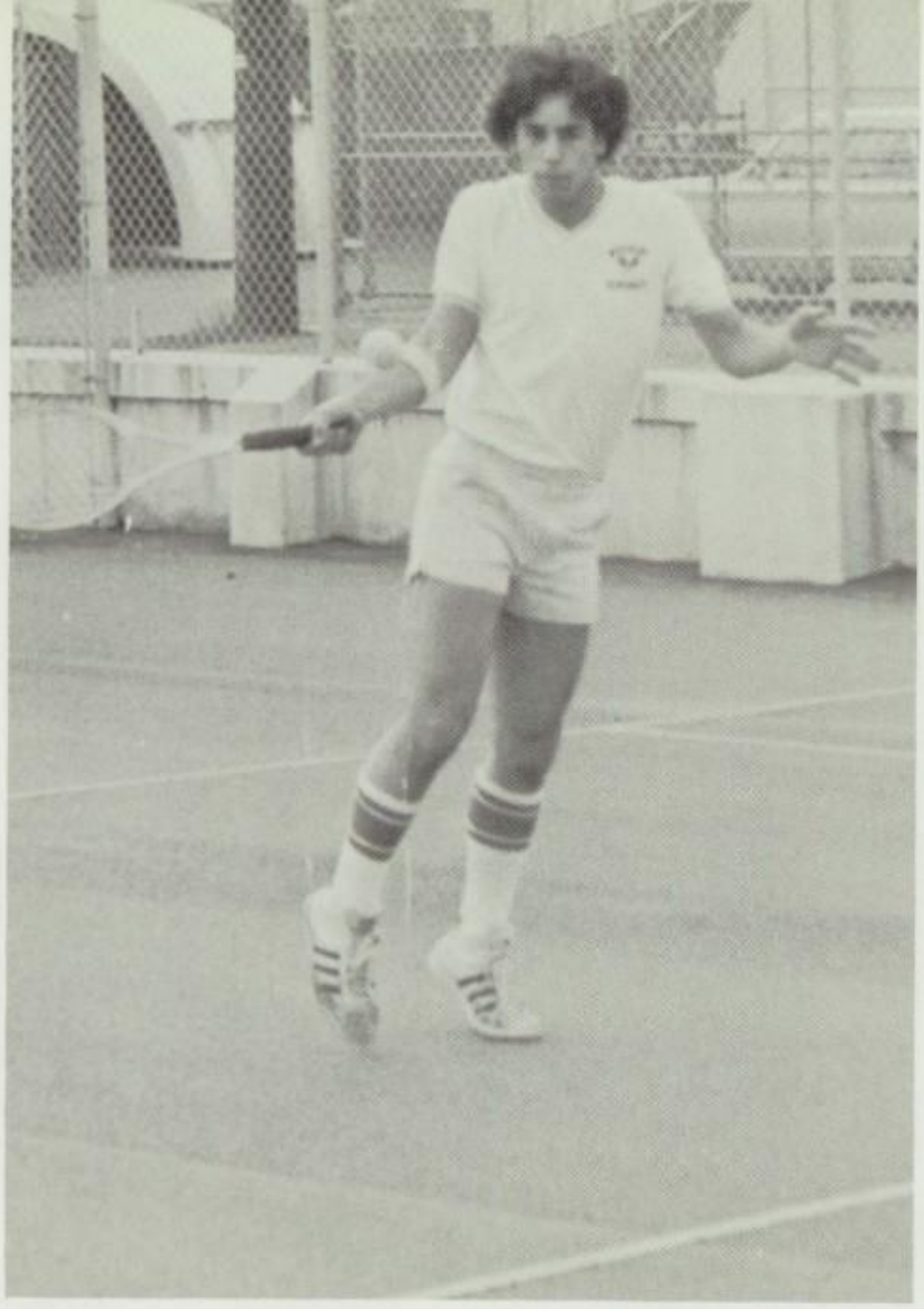

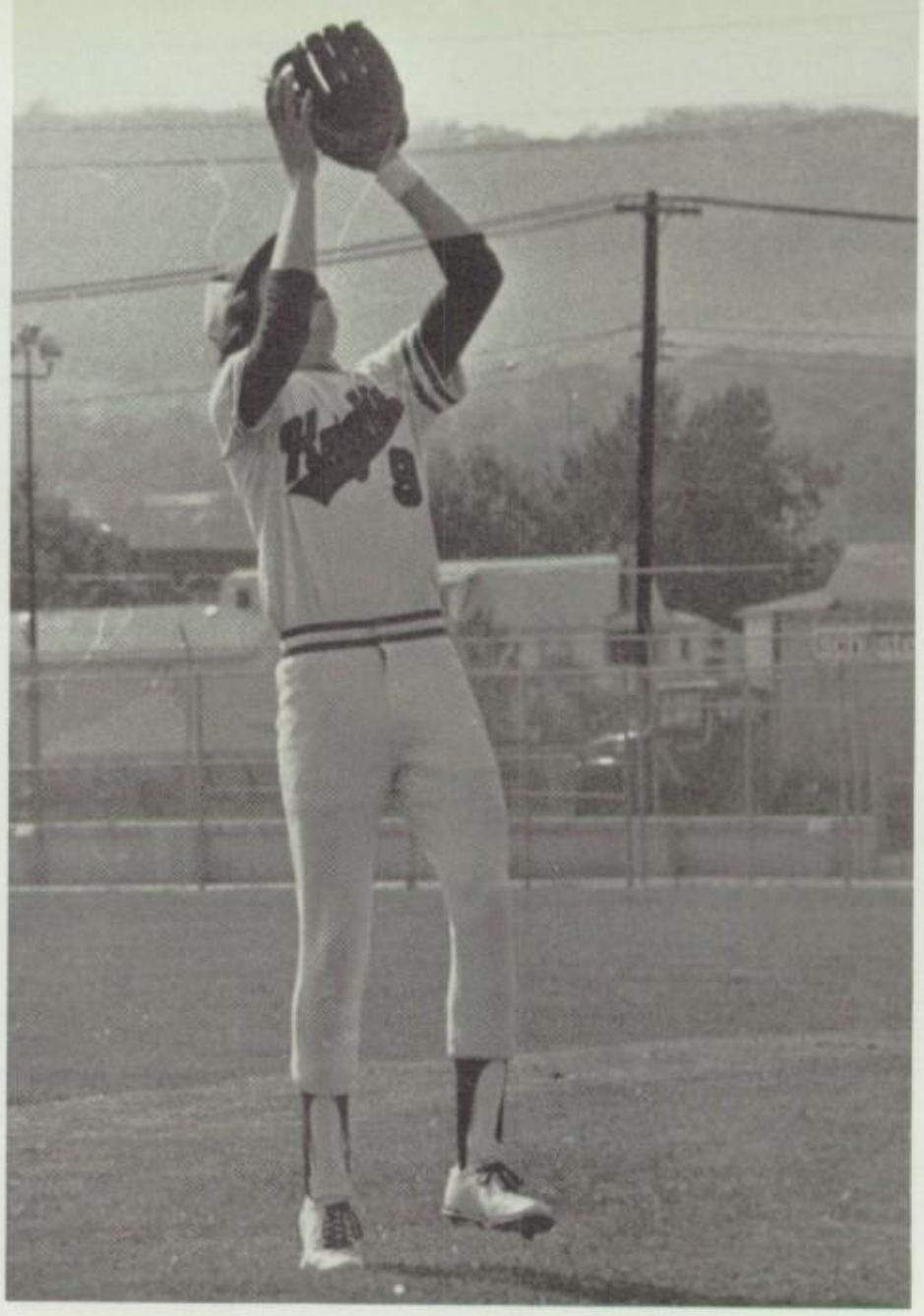

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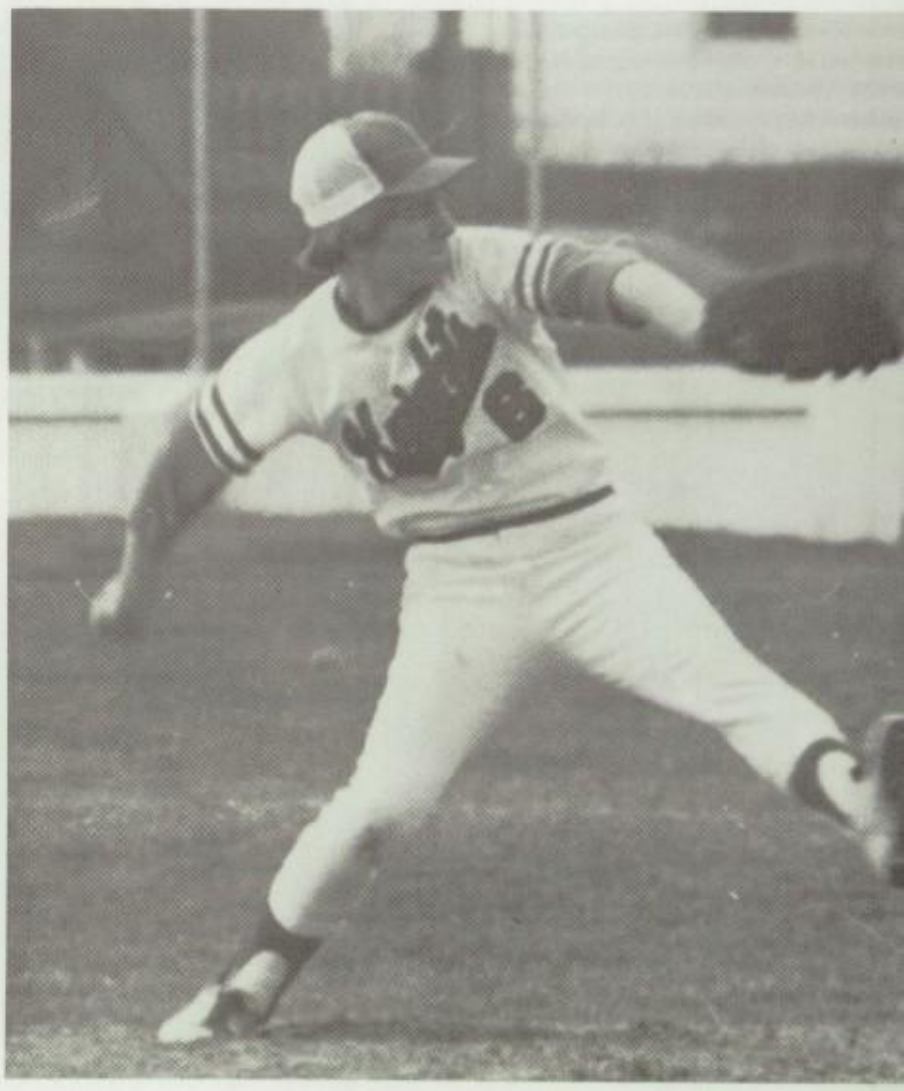
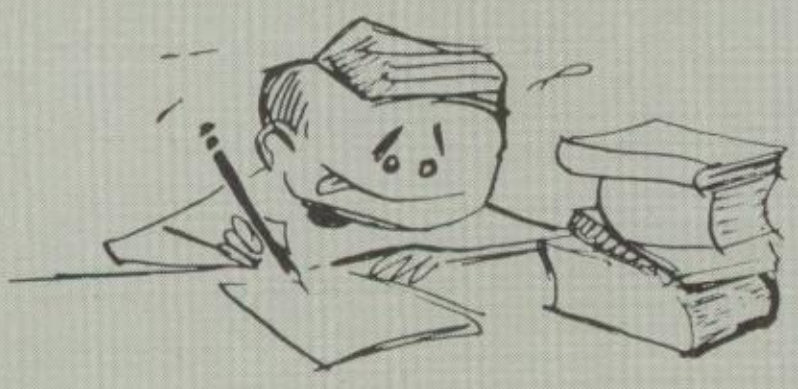


UNDERCLASS PEOPLE

Freshpeople



Class Of 1980

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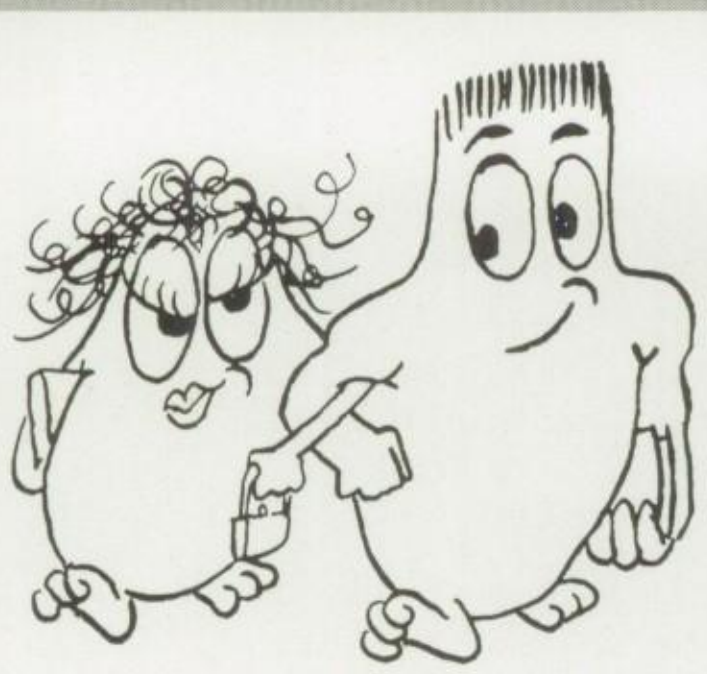
Front: M. Brightbill, S. Blight, M. Agati, L. Bachman, J. Davis, S. Amanullah Back: D. D'Eurko, K. Bufalino, R. Cabot, J. Wartella, K. Larsen, C. Dankmyer, R. Macarty, Q. Dolphin, L. Butera, V. Demas.

Front, L To R.: H. Prashker, M. Nork, P. Mack, D. Robbins, S. Ristagno, K. Larsen, B. Lamoreaux. Back: T. Pearsall, H. Maslow, J. Rosen, M. Fields, R. Macarty, R. King, J. Reese, P. Taylor, G. Myers, A. Levy.

We will either find a way or make one.
—Hannibal

Front: B. Hall, S. Hartman, G. Griffith, W. Flick, C. Kresge. Middle: M. Hudson, R. King, M. Fields. Back: T. Iscovitz, F. Kaye.

Sophomores



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Life is a comedy to the man who thinks,
and a tragedy to the man who feels.

—Horace Walpole

J. Del Priore, G. Weibel, J. Mermelstein, D. Dietze, C. Innes, M. Brown, K. Smith, L. Pierotti, M. Robson, V. Kasper, E. Schall, D. Evans, M. Simms, J. Horrigan, K. Cresko.

Someday, this will all be yours.

—Ed.

D. Light, M. Troy, R. Williams, L. Martin, C. Gommer, P. Mazer, R. Clark.

. Schafer, F. Lumia, K. Mailloux, R. Germain, D. Backer, S. Slaff, M. Wroblewski, N. Edwards, J. Hendrzak,
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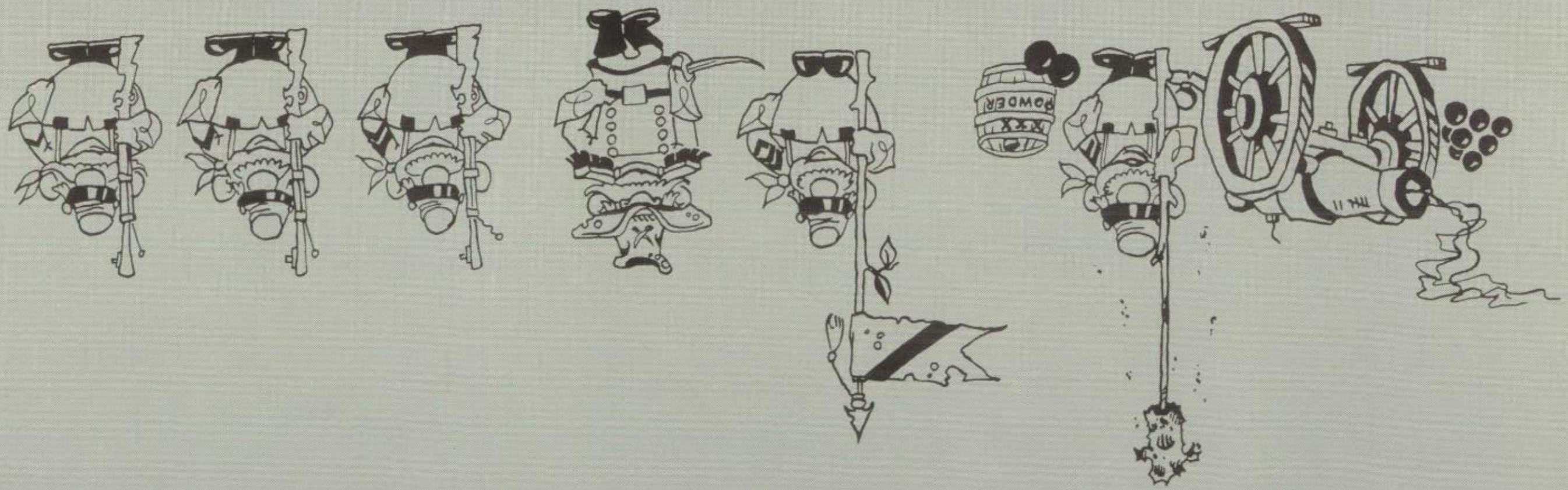
Class Of 1978

Juniors

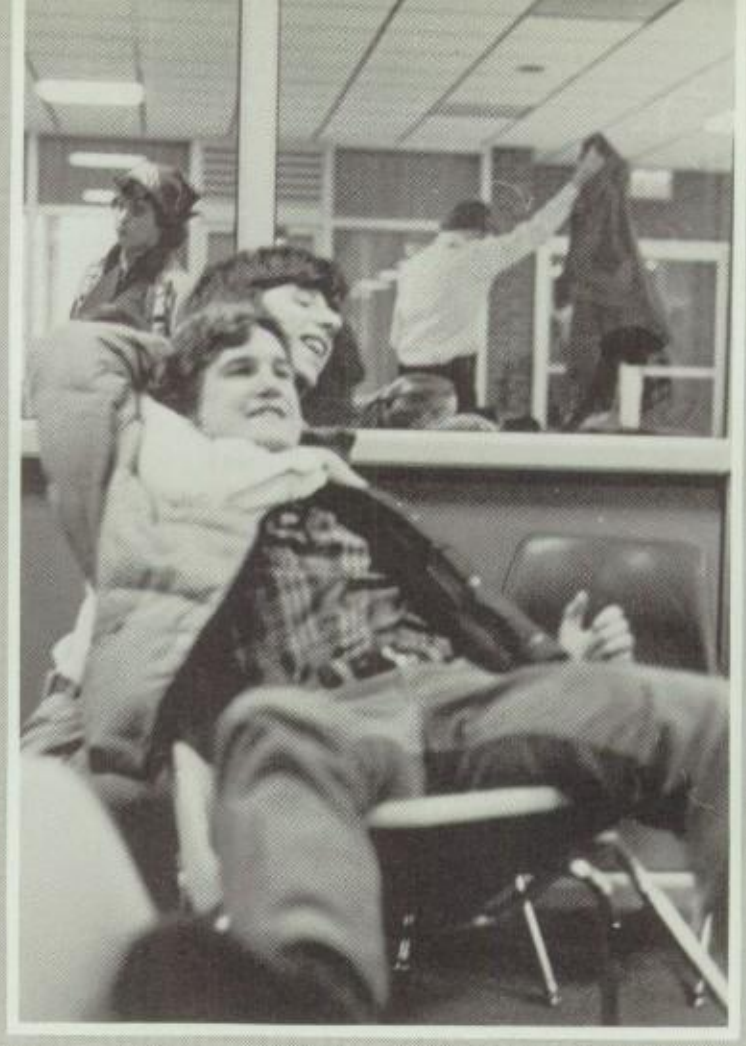


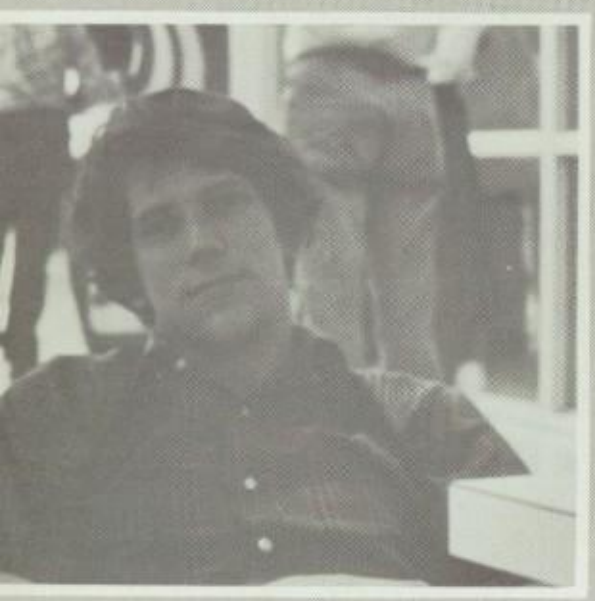
Front: M. Nelson, J. Halliday, J. Schiowitz. Back: K. Sampson, C. Fields, S. Garatt, B. Moran, C. Coburn, S. Demas, J. Menn, J. Bevevino, B. Heck, S. Roos, M. Castor, B. Bravman, J. Slater, J. Casper, P. Horowitz, D. Zarada, D. Harron, K. Backer (behind elbow), N. Repa, B. Van Stone.

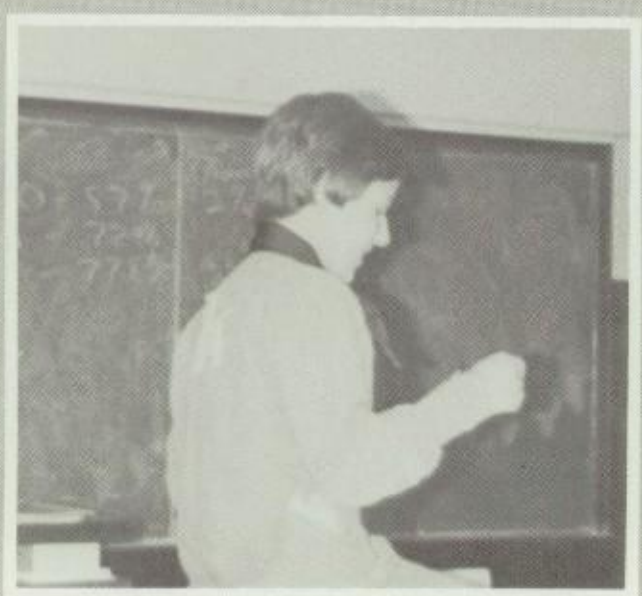
In the long run men hit only what they aim at. Therefore, though they should fail immediately, they had better aim high.

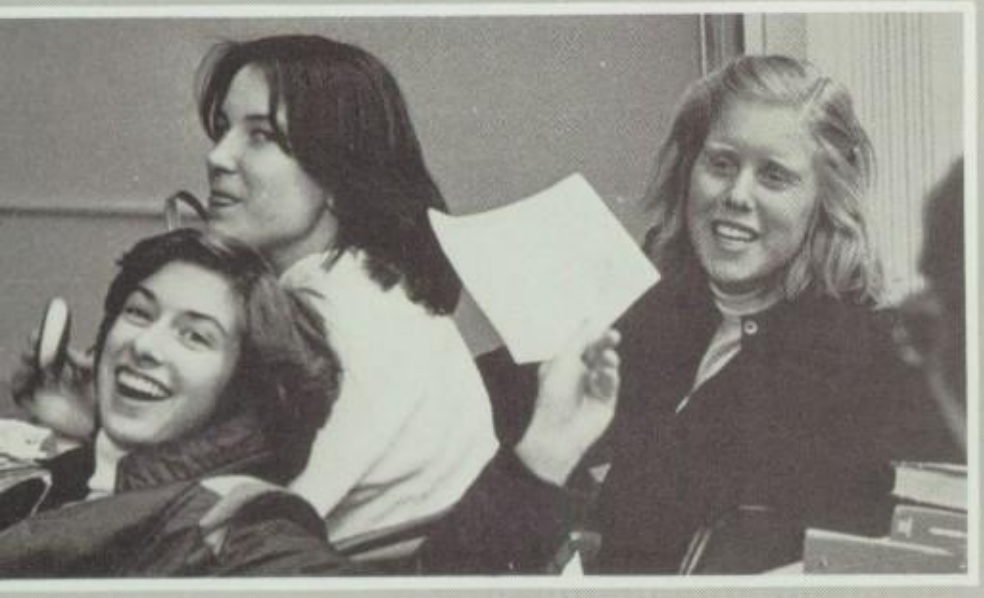
—Henry David Thoreau

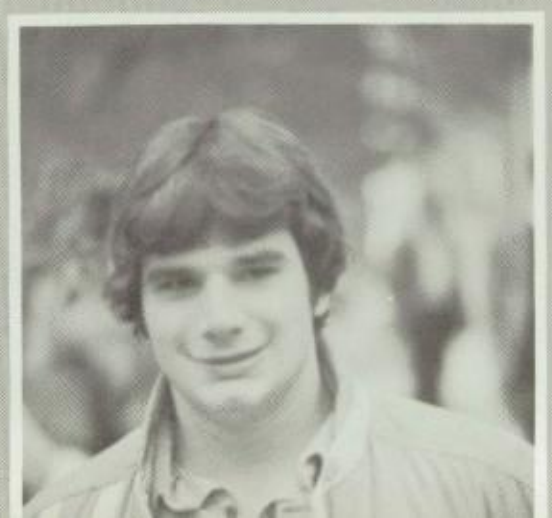
Front: A. Heffernan, D. Sifft, S. Faatz, K. Sampson, L. Meyer. Back: J. Morris, J. Spohrer, D. Griffith, B. Goidell (top), T. Mosca (bottom), B. Moran, J. Brown, K. Blight, K. Vispi, K. Johnson, M. Imperiale, D. David, N. Neary, M. Balaster, P. Horowitz (top), J. Casper (bottom), J. Meyers, C. Fields.

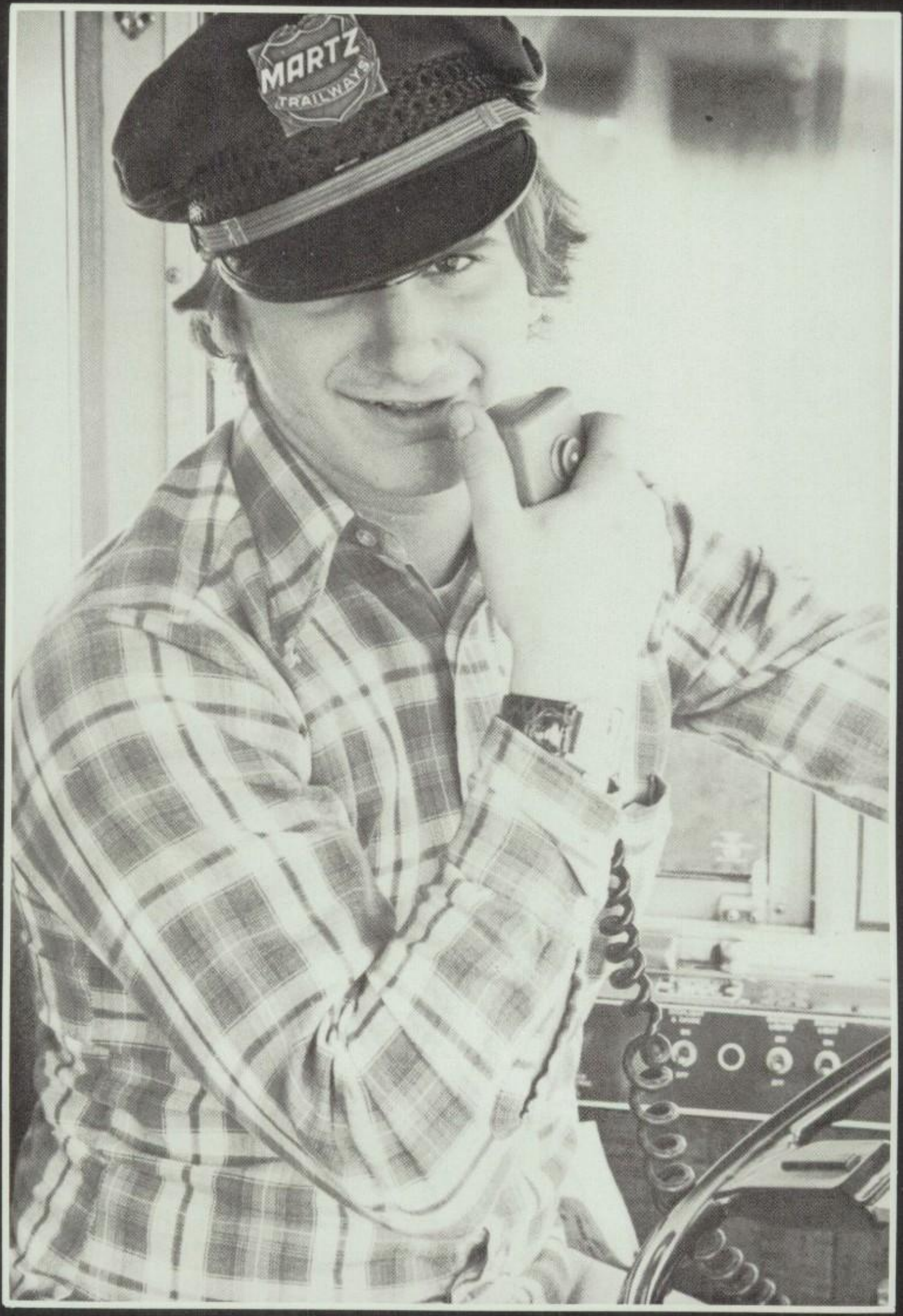












TRAVEL

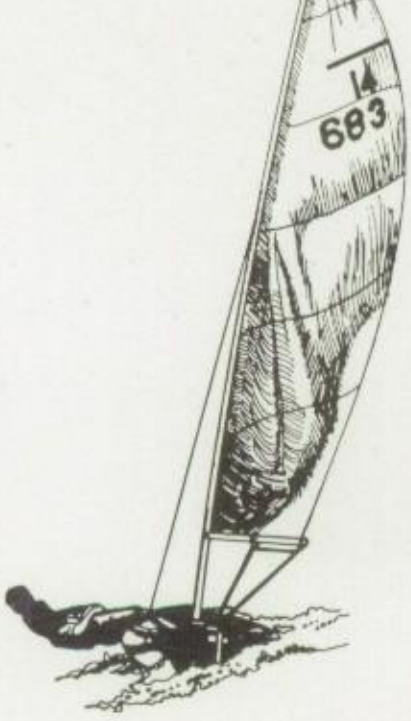
Washington, D.C.

Tall Ships
July 4, 1976

New York City

All you touch and all you see
Is all your life will ever be.

Roger Waters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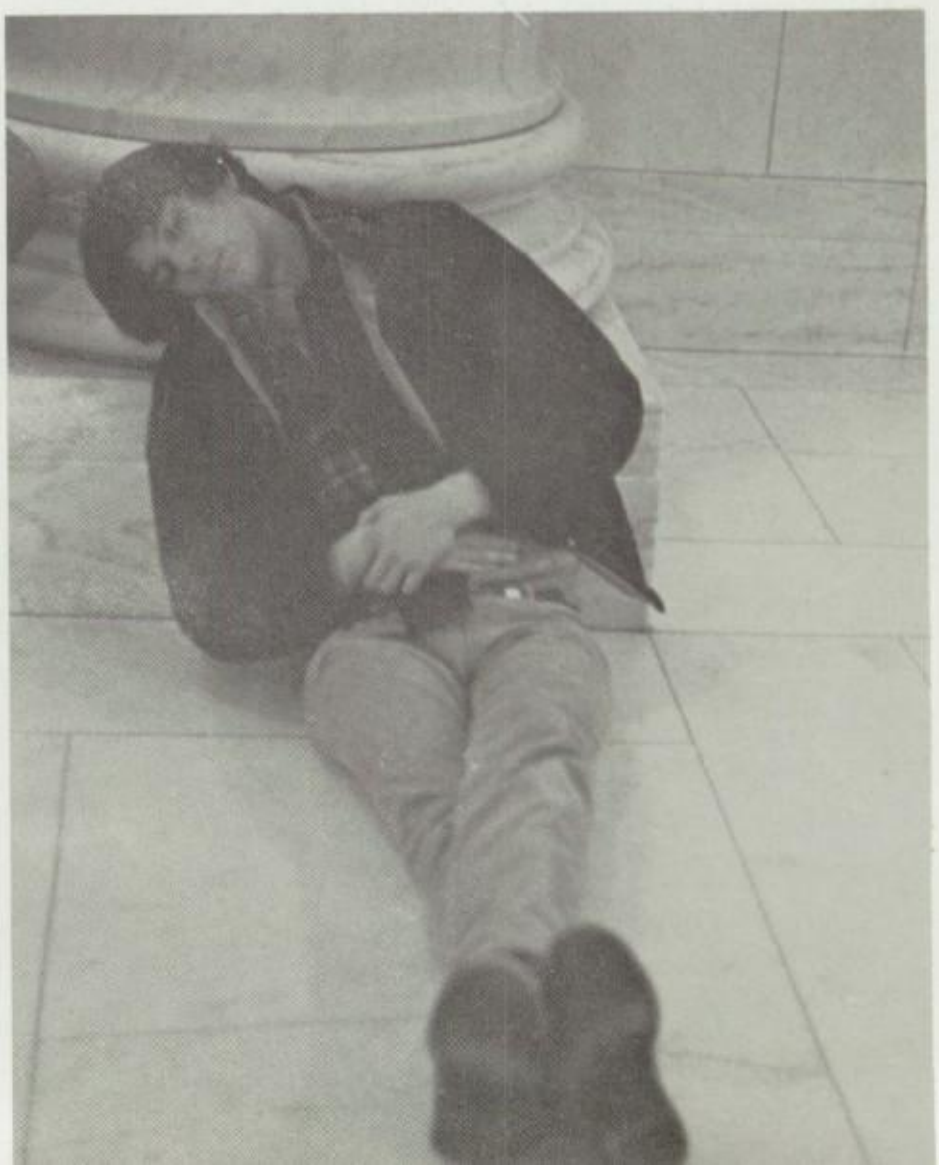
GOODYEAR

Tread you well
upon this earth . . .

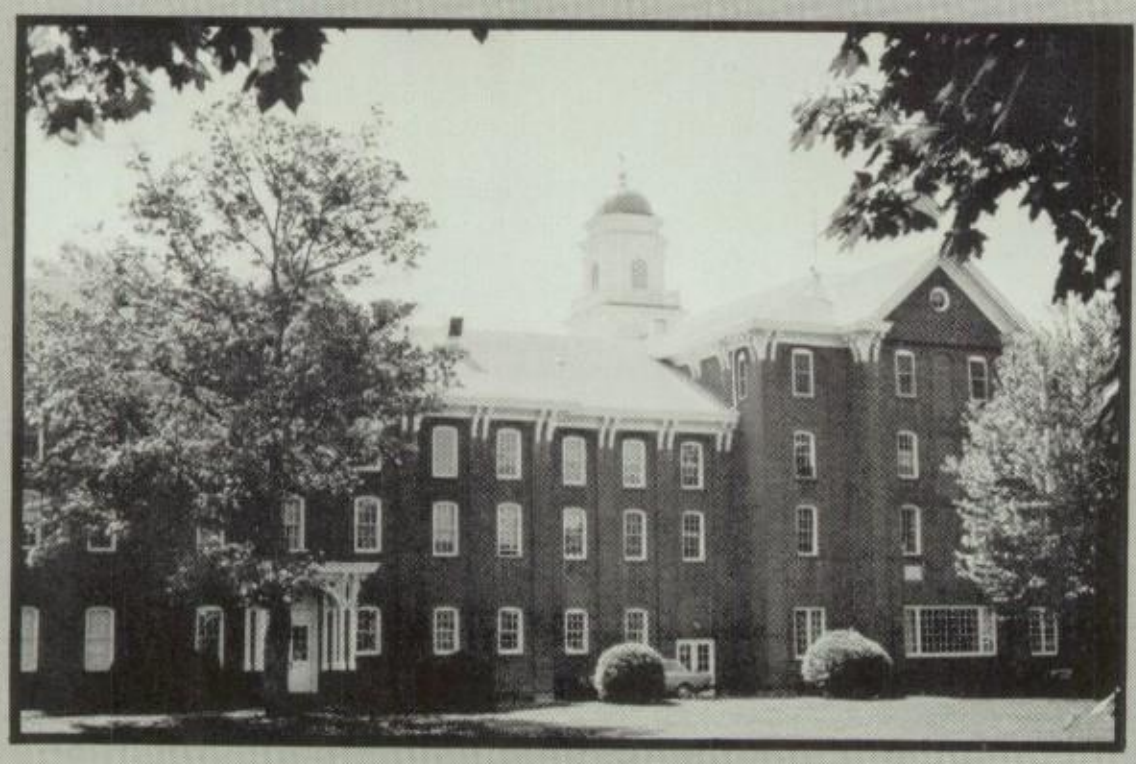
. . . for it is ours to
inherit and to keep

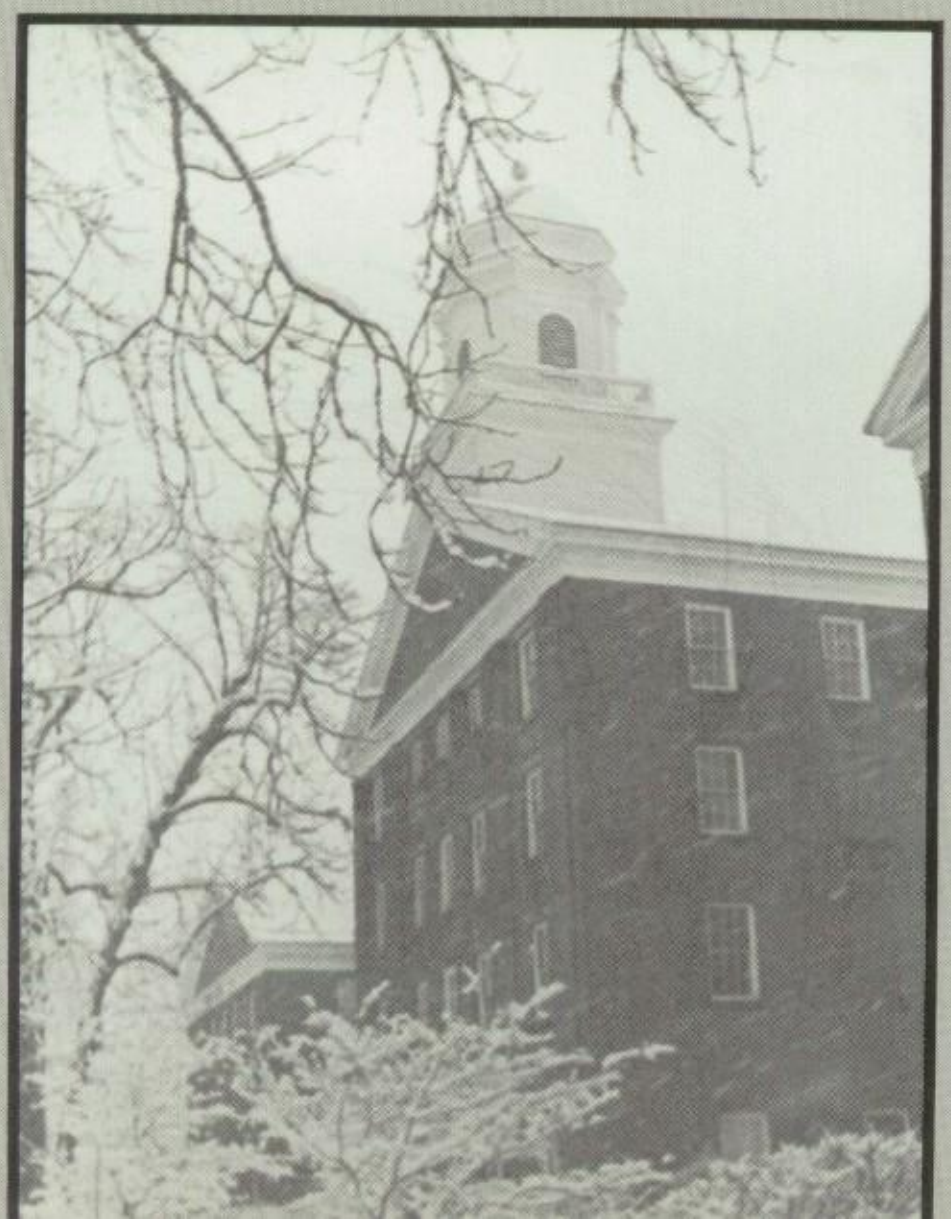
SOUTH
HILLS



Still round the corner there may wait
A new road or a secret gate
And though I oft have passed them by
A day will come at last when I
Shall take the hidden paths that run
West of the moon, east of the sun

J.R.R. Tolkien





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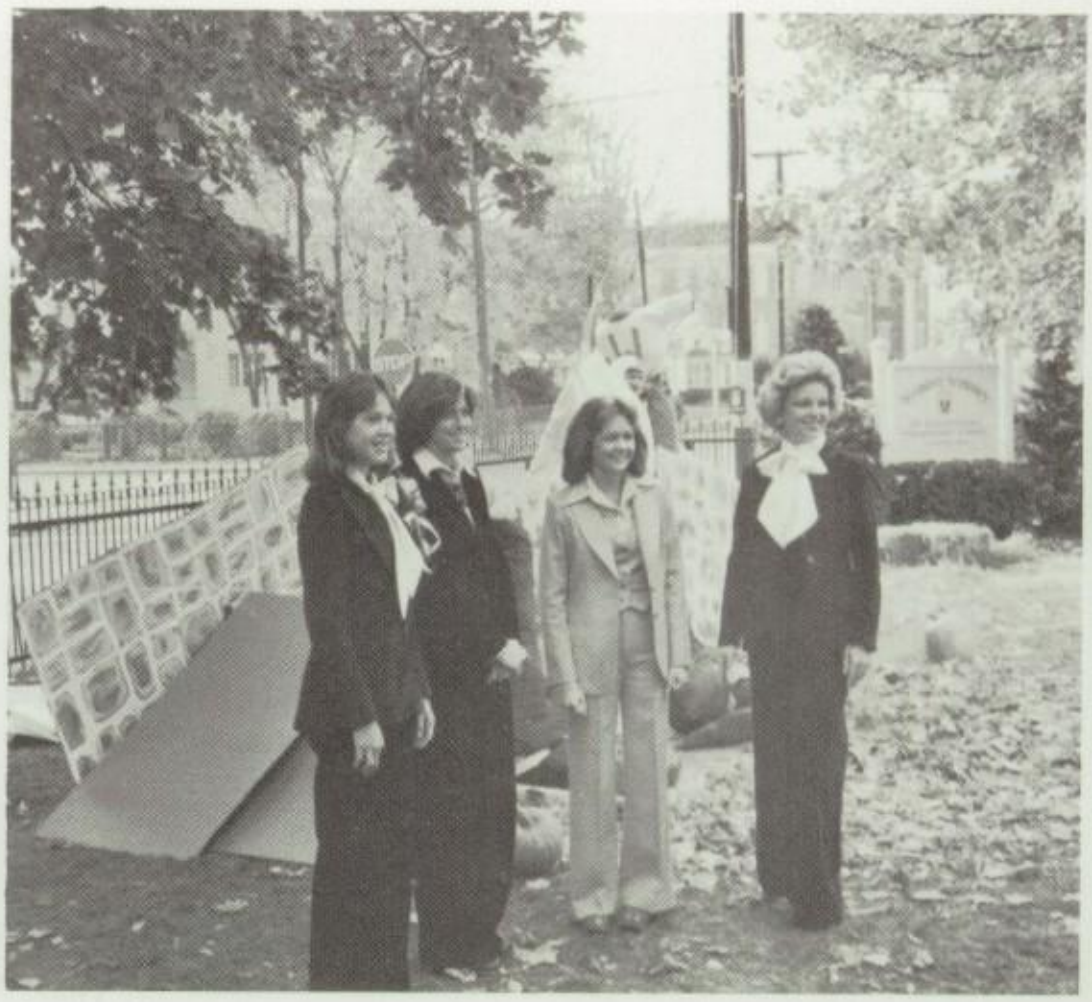

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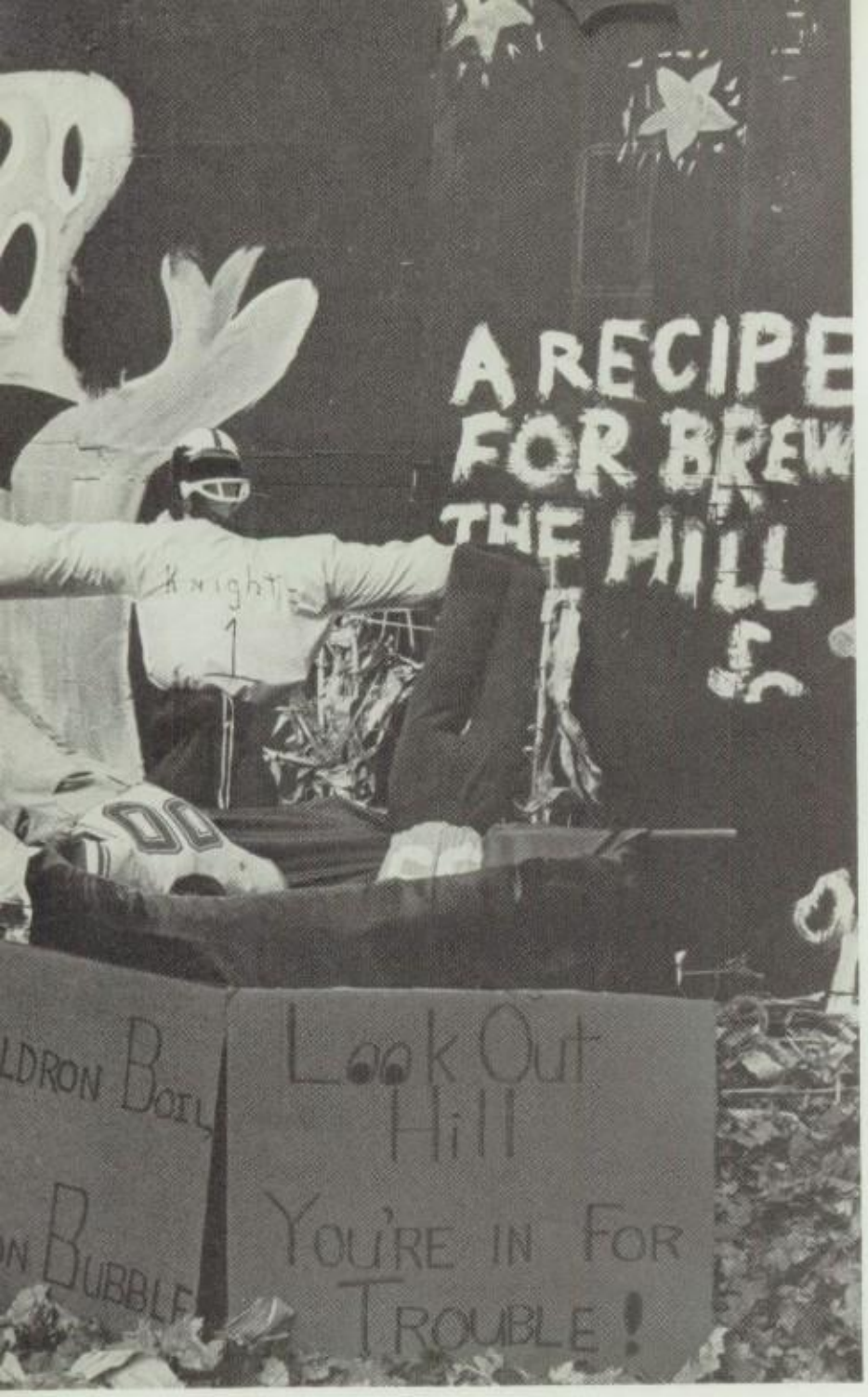
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FOR BREW
THE HILL
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LDRON BOIL
ON BUBBLE
Look Out
Hill
You're In For
Trouble!

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We'll Boil the 'Hill' out of Em
BOOT HILL
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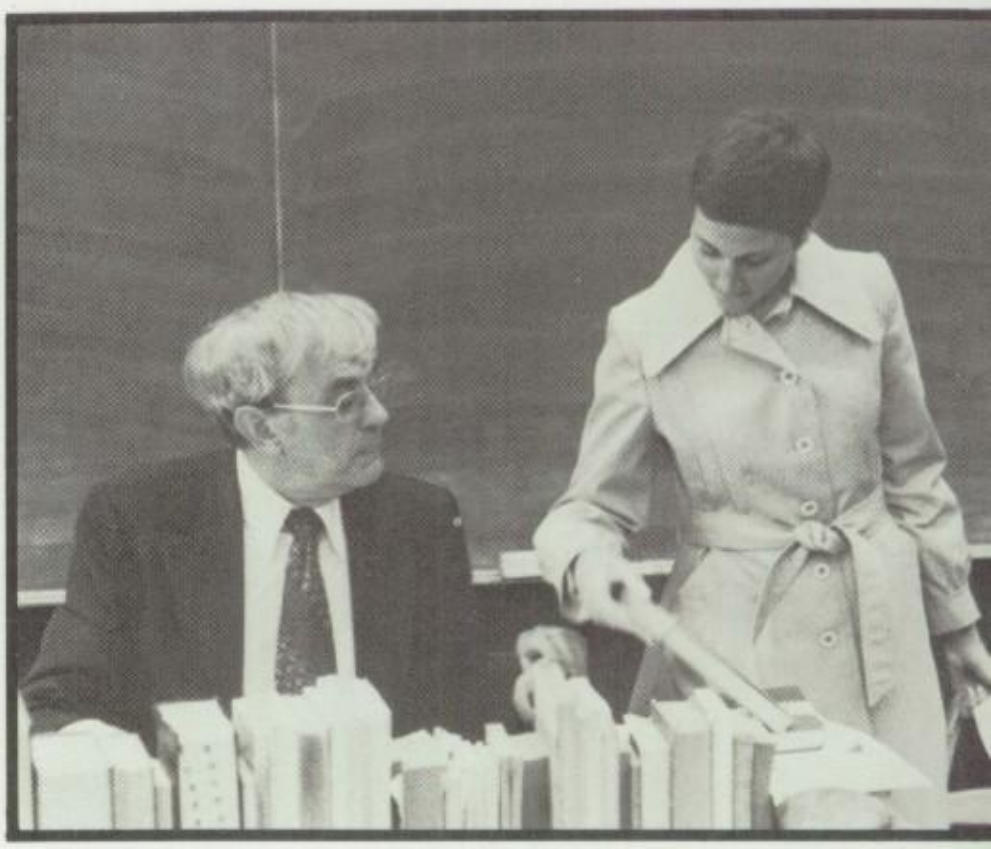
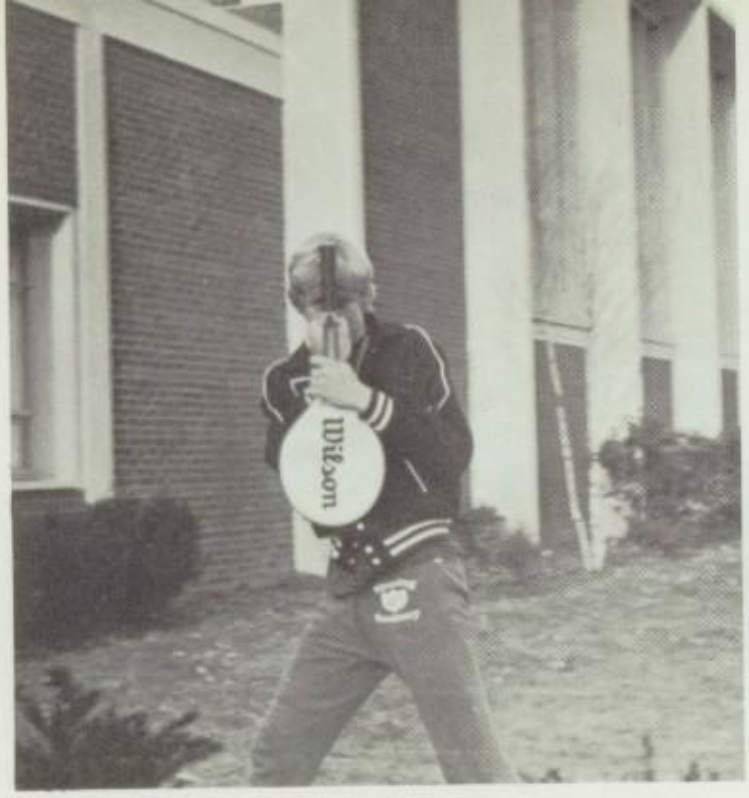
FIRE BURN & CAULDRON

Debate

Anne Meyers, Beth Wywiorski, Ray Kresge, Dan Cabot, Carol King, Mark Pazuhanich

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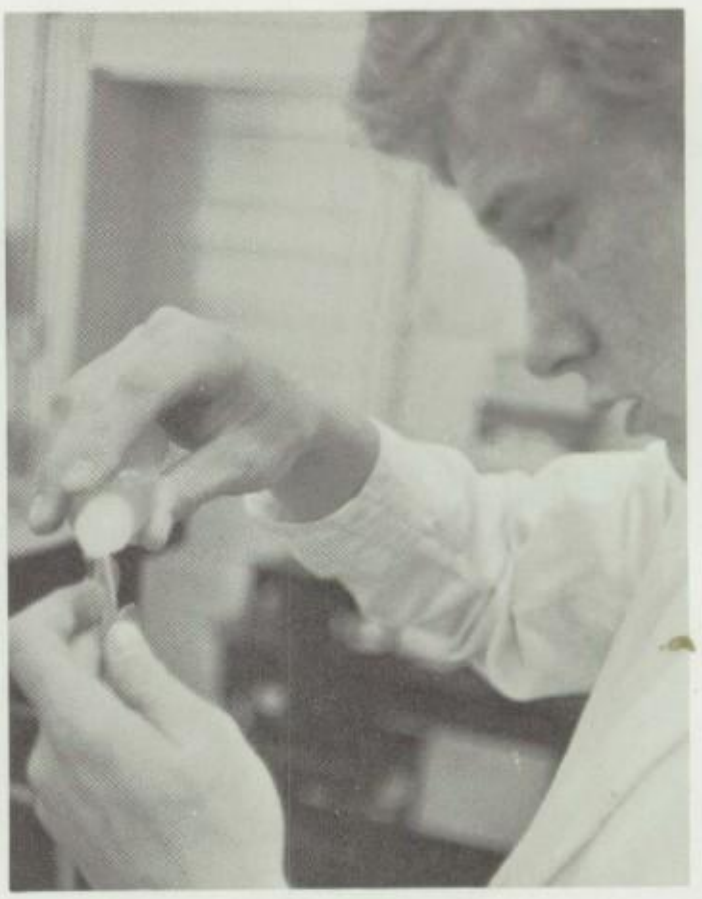

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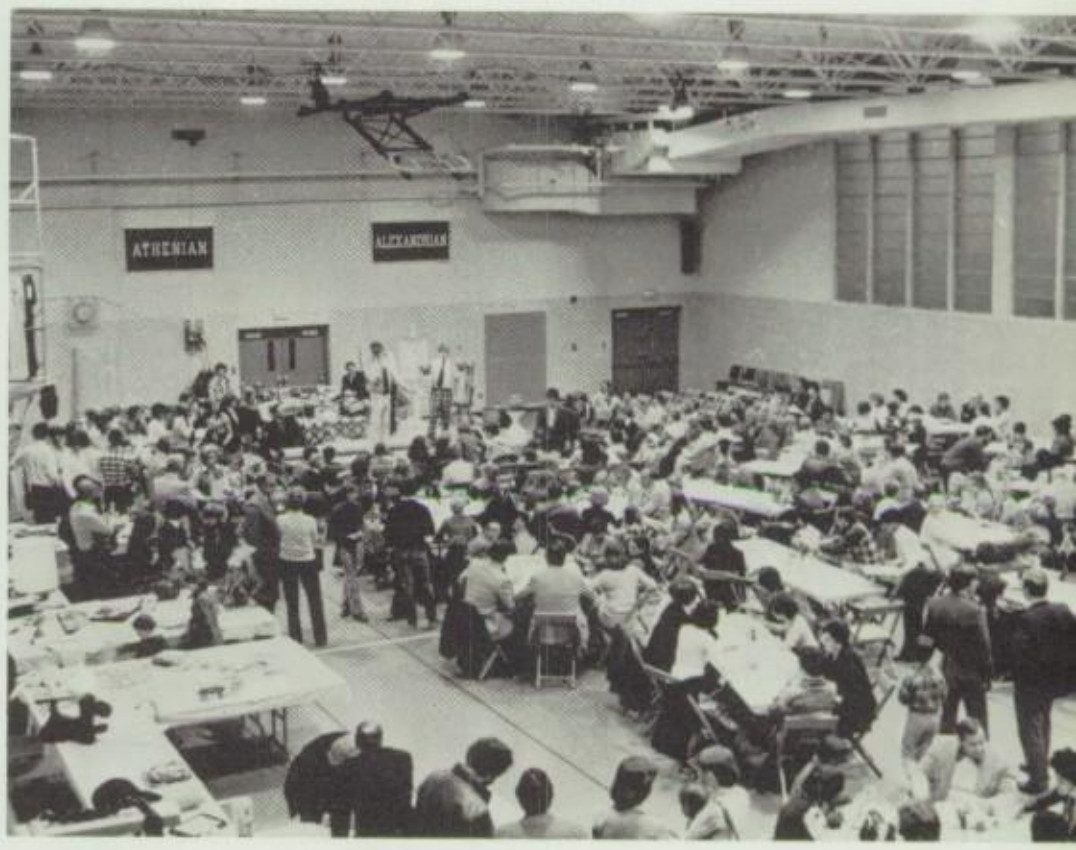

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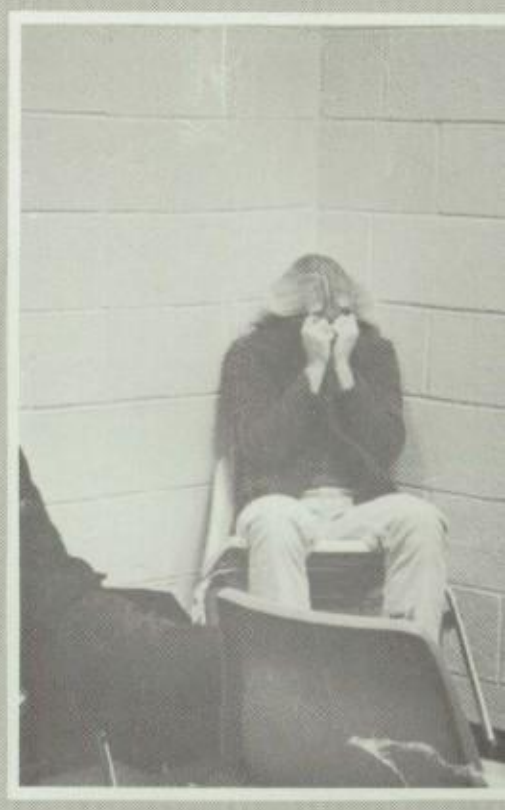

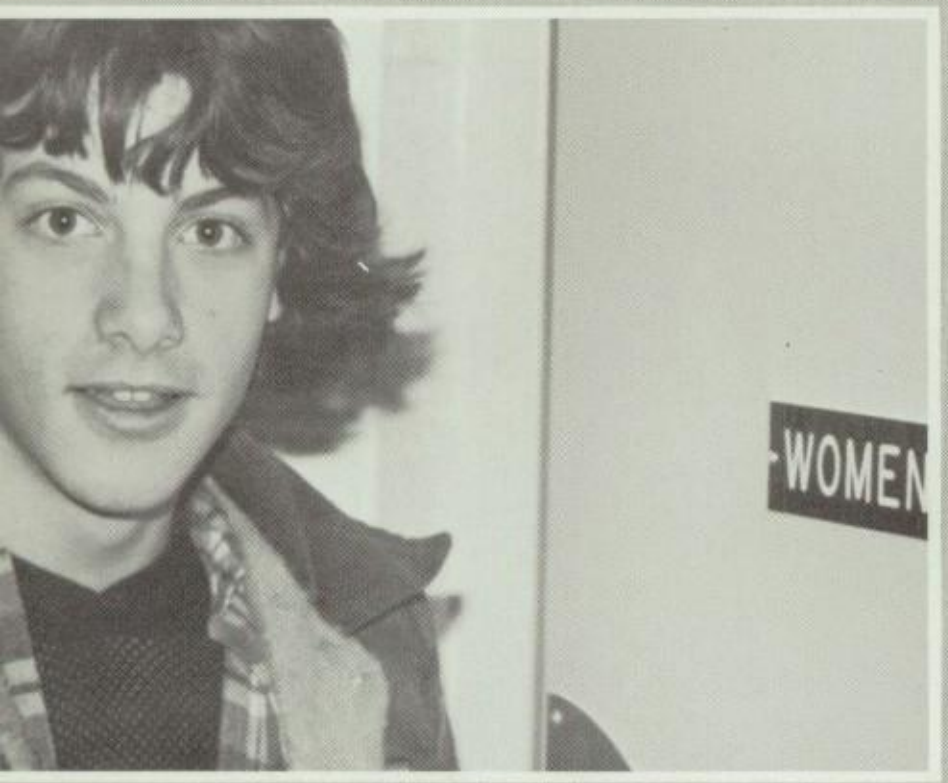
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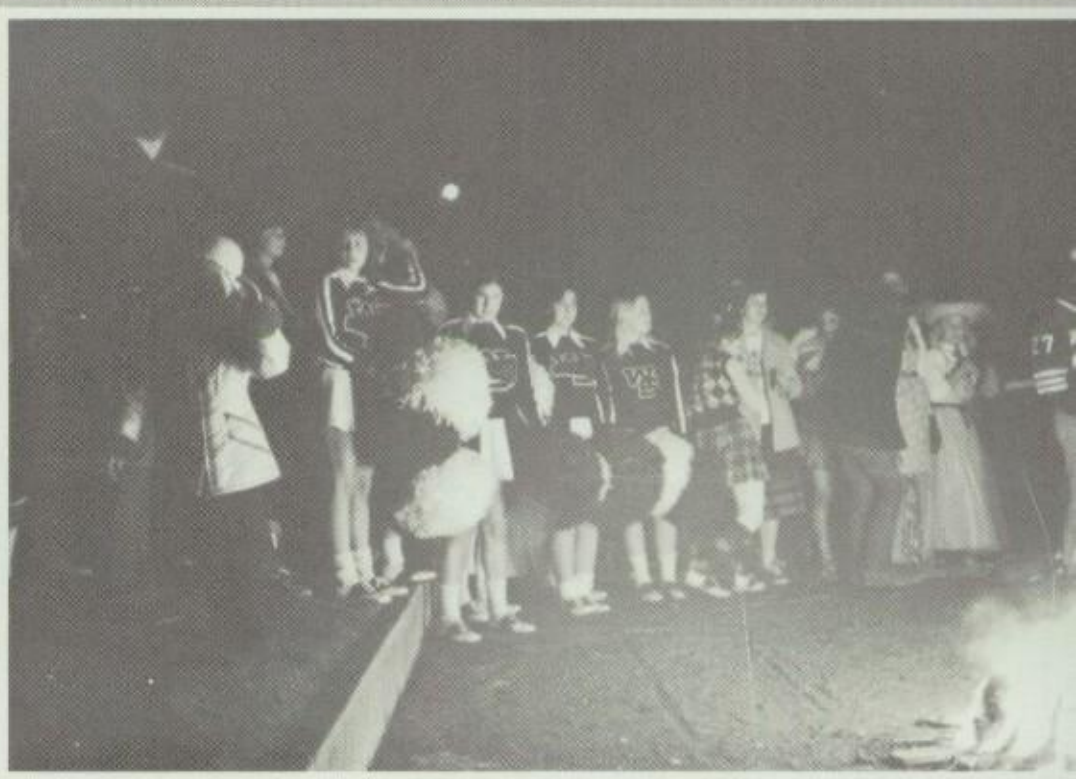

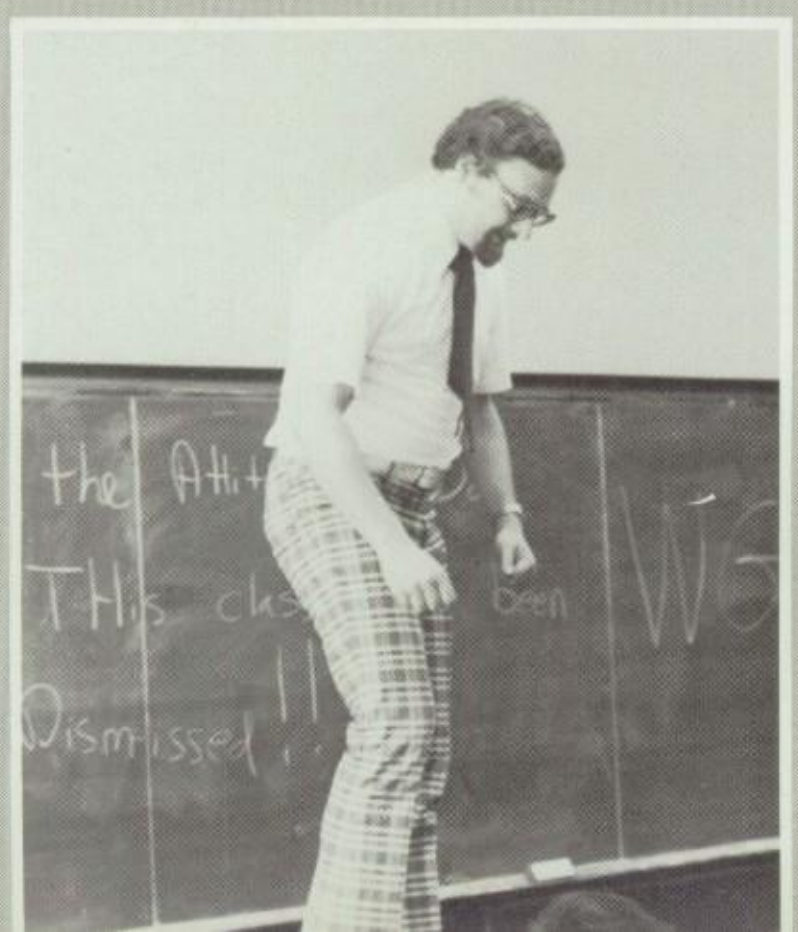

Jon Spohrer
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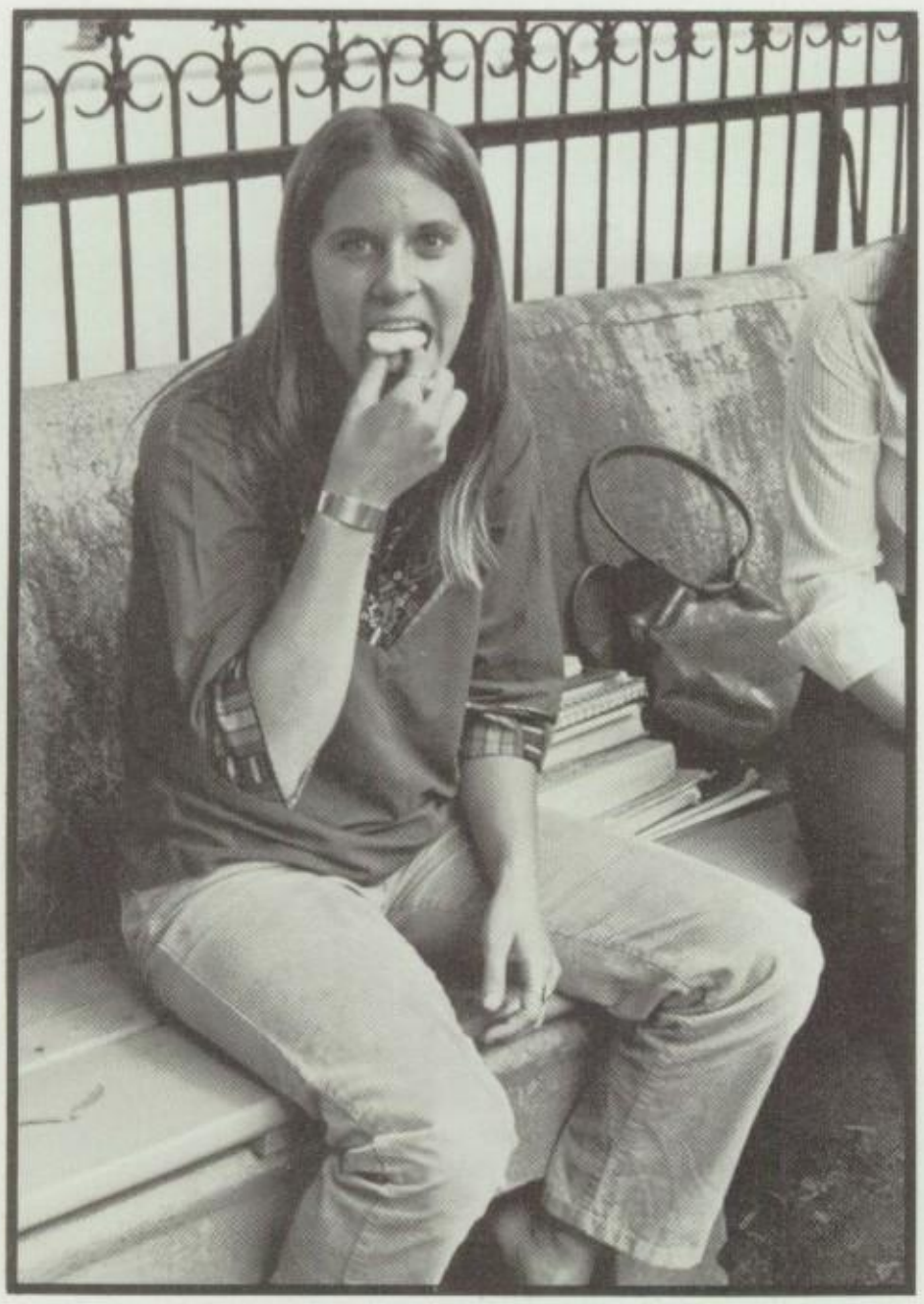
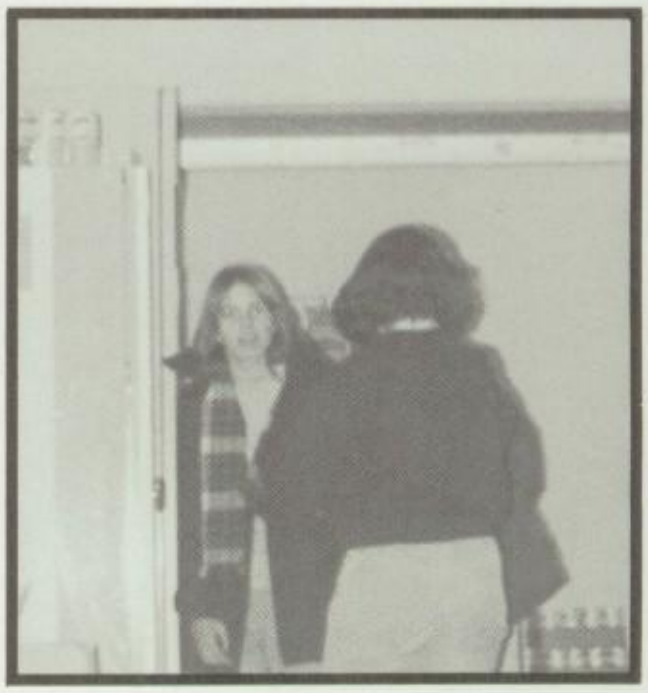
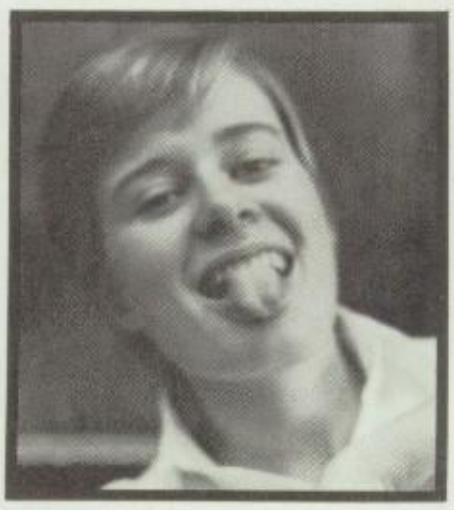
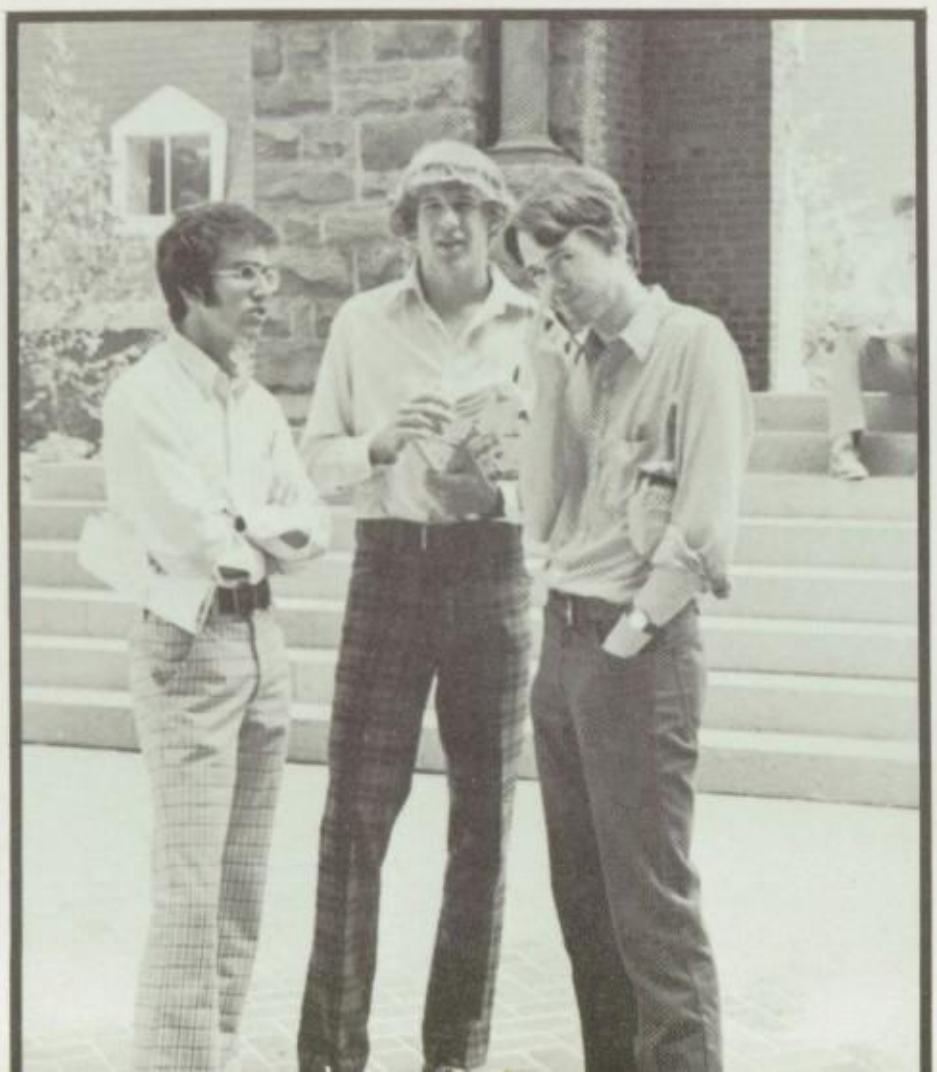






If you go
He's got the



Sem Bowl

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Founders' Day

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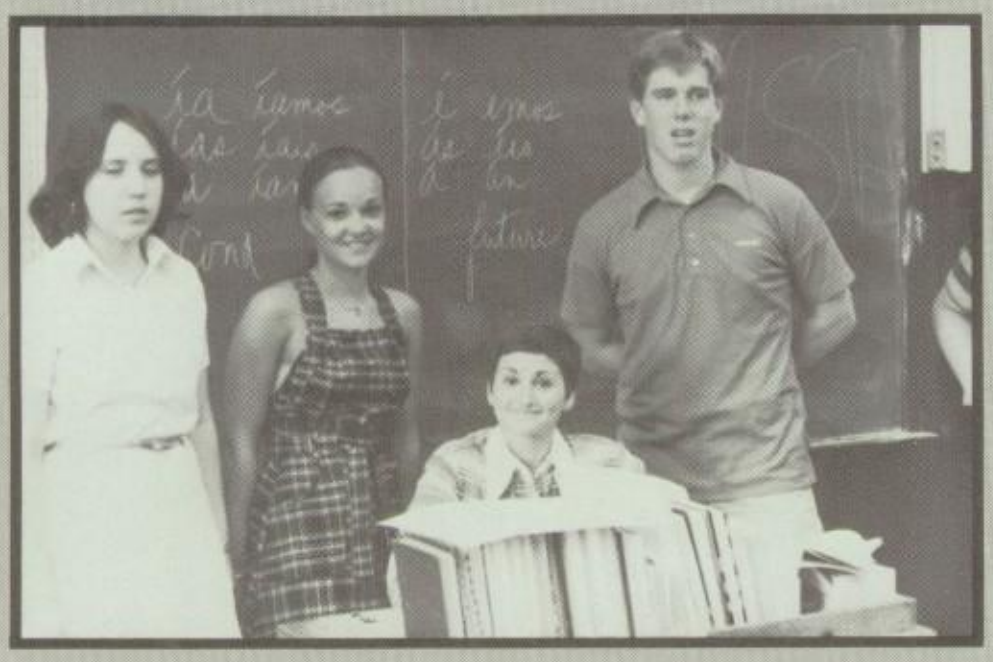
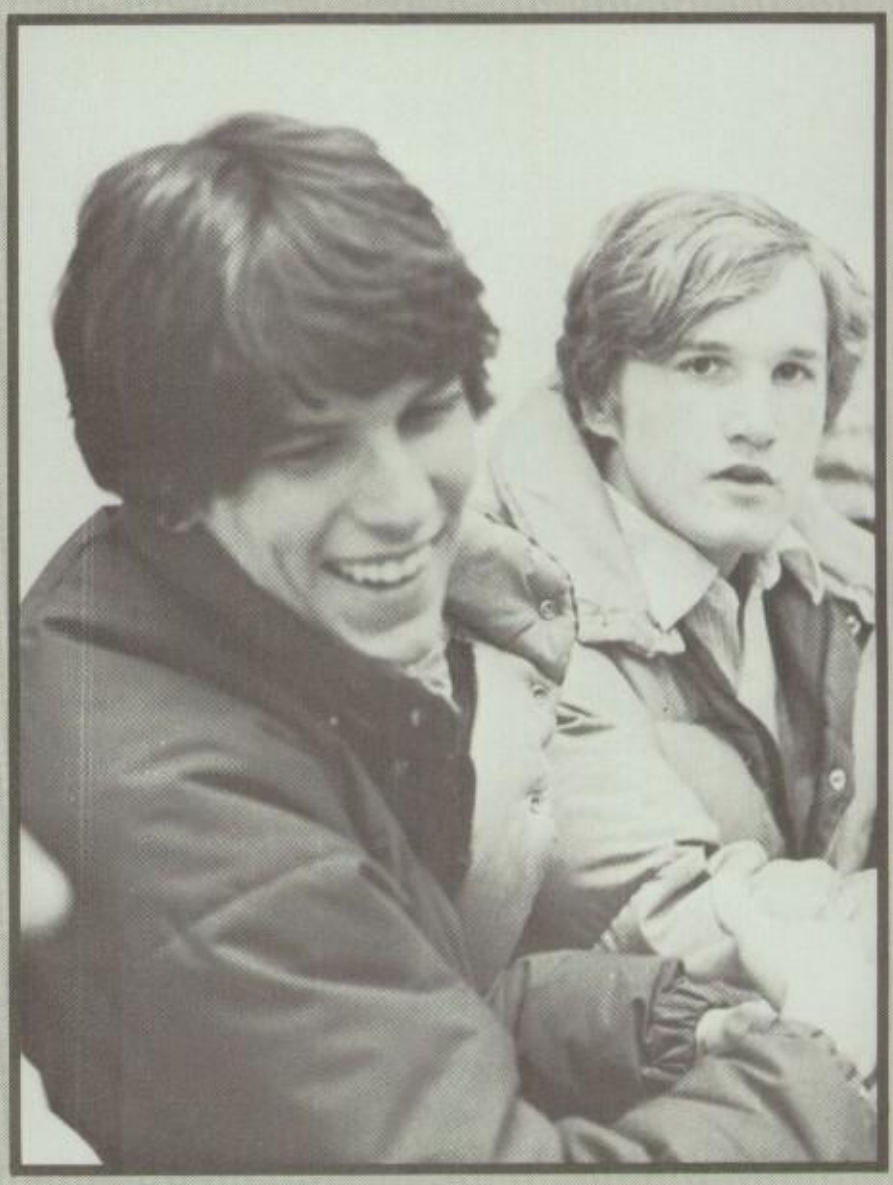
Spanish Club





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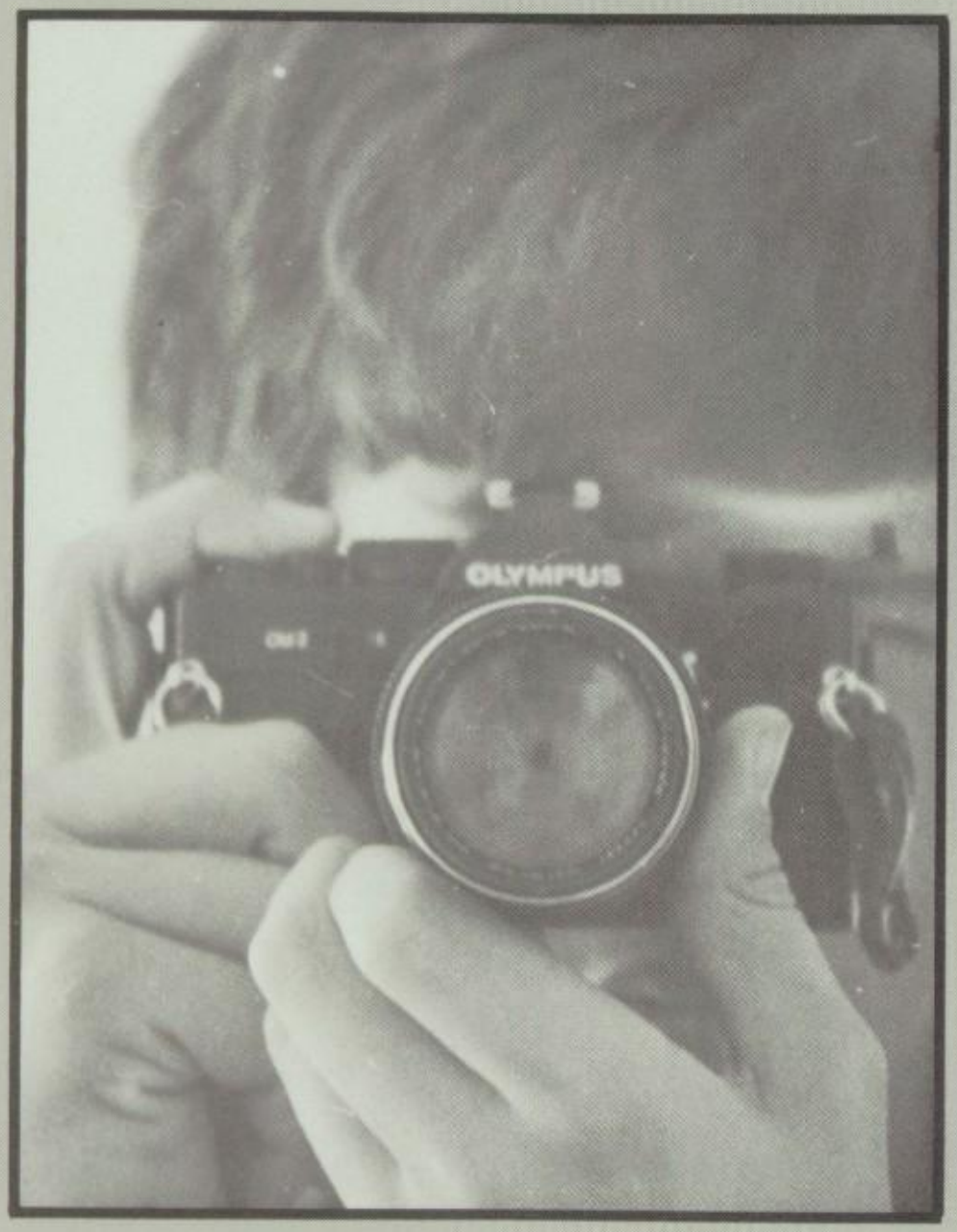

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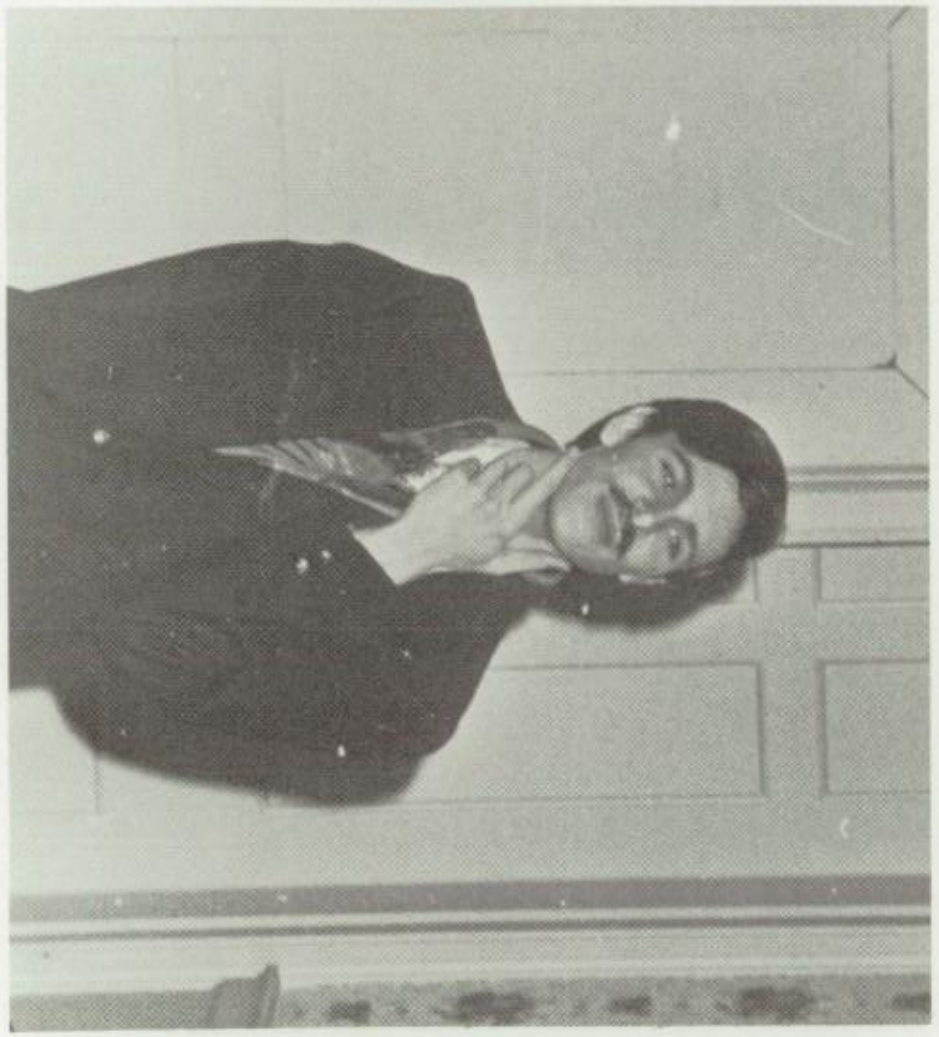
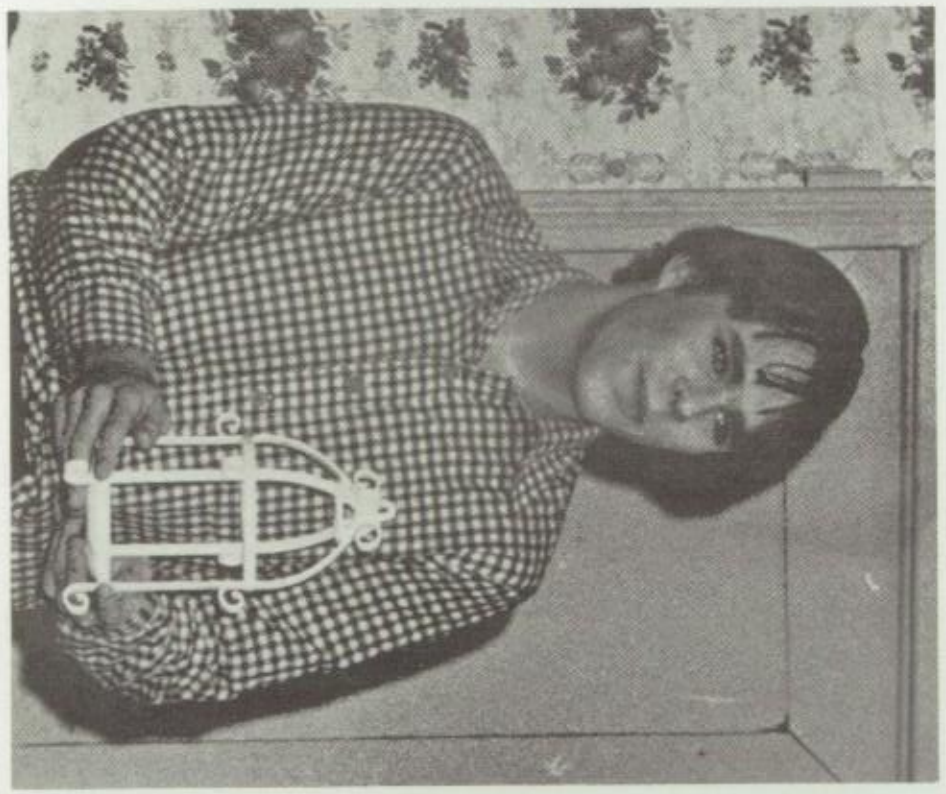
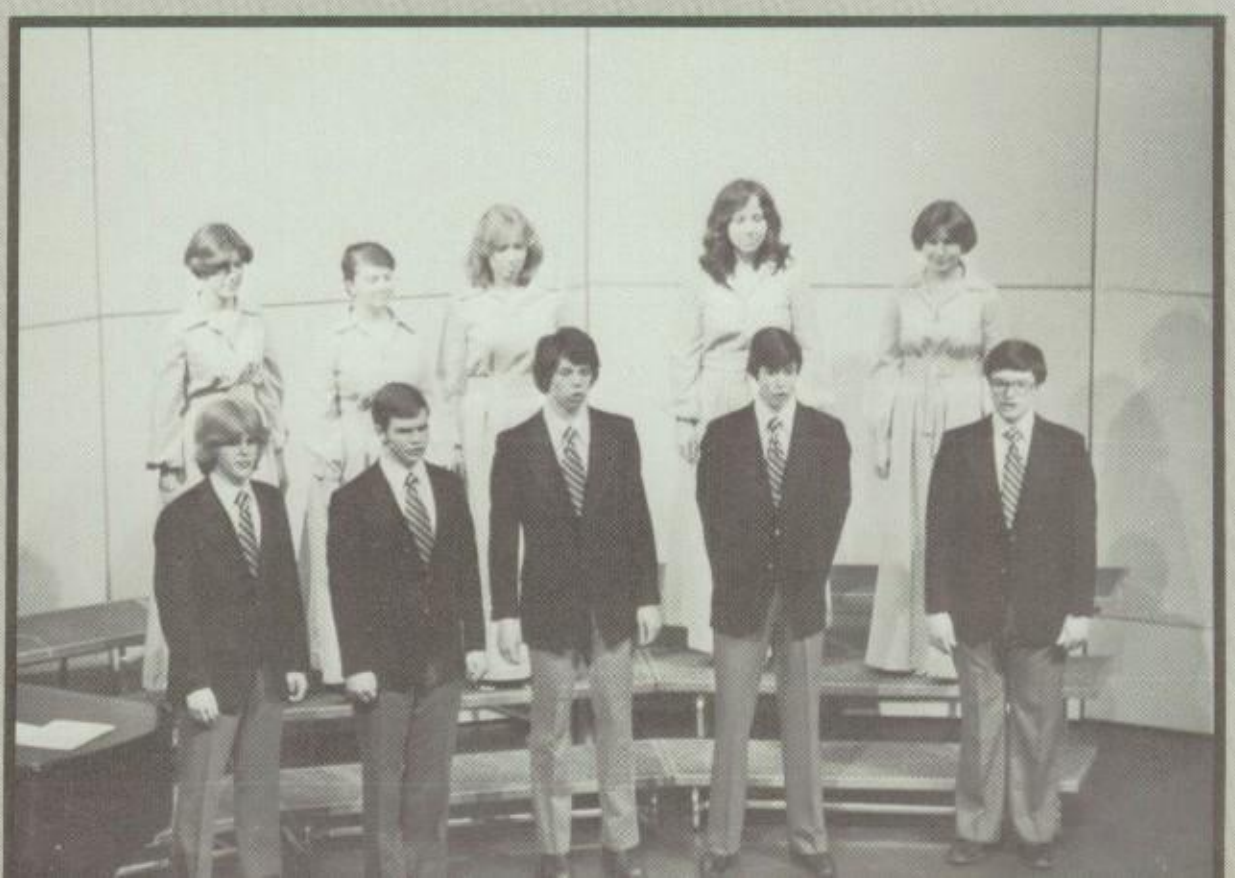




Madrigal Singers

Silver Award
International Choral Festival In Rome

Women: Daphne Veras, Kathy Fairman, Jannell Decker, Jamie Del Priore, Jessica Peters. Men: Roy Clark, Scott Beyer, Barry Scott, Jeff Martin, Bruce Dunham.



Declamation

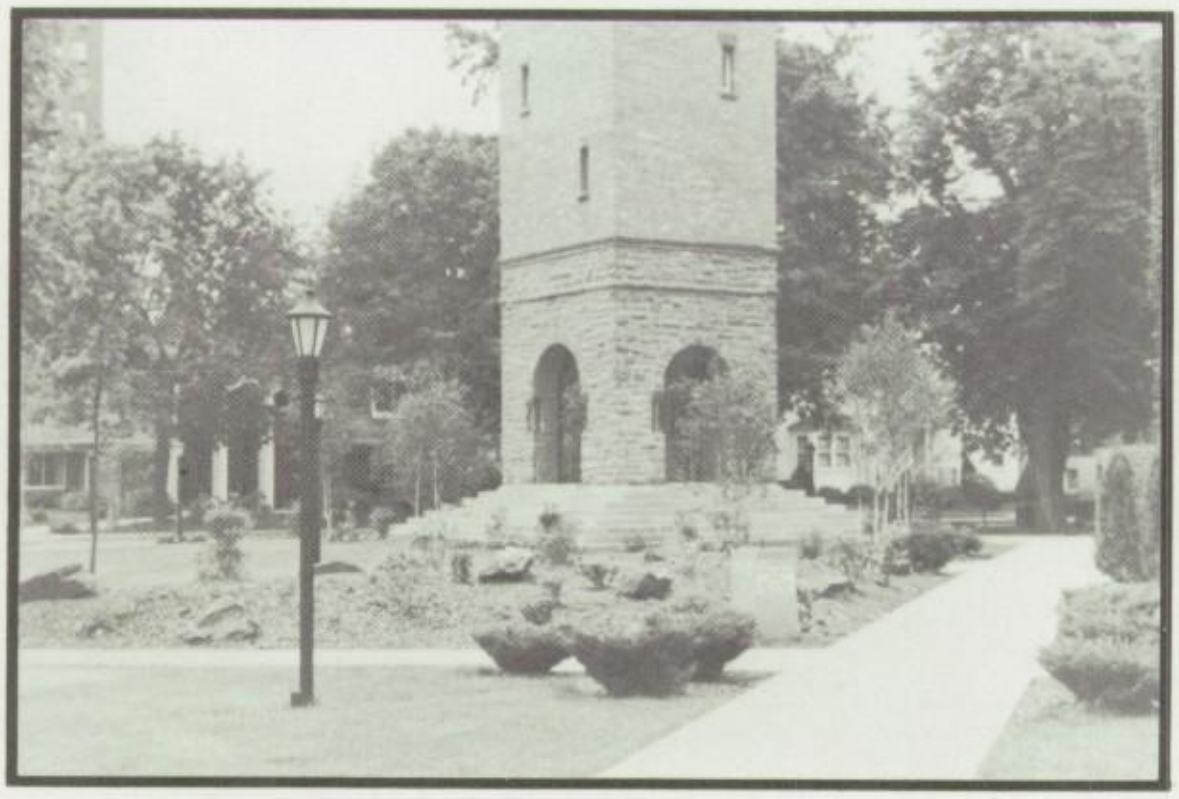
Mary Tribier, judge; Brendon Moran; Mark Hildebrand, judge; Gigi Lopatto, Abby Rodda, Alvita Martin; Henry Levy, judge.

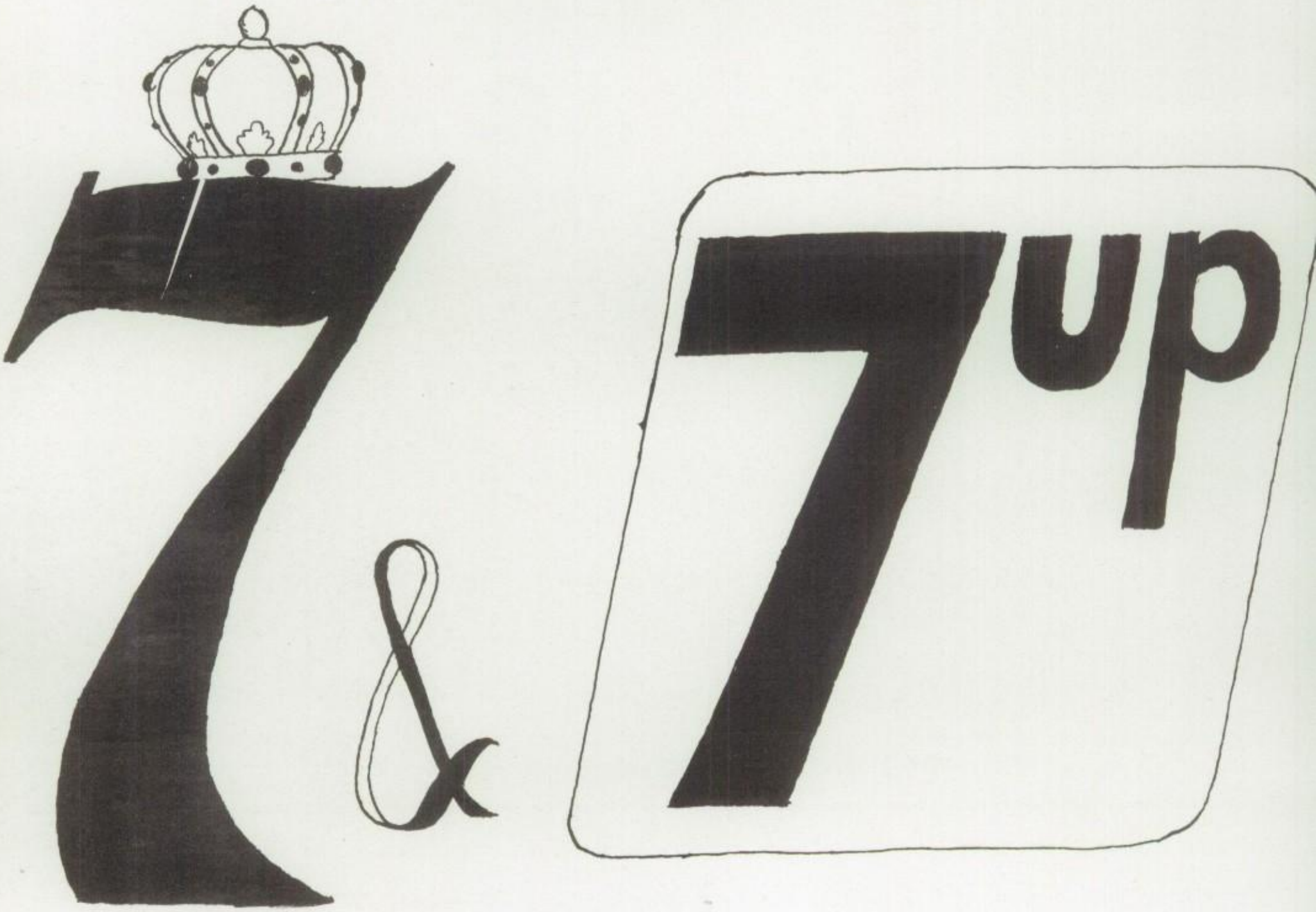
Oratorical

Marc Holtzman, Sara Slaff, Dave Berman, Kathy Fairman, Helen Brown, judge.

Cum Laude

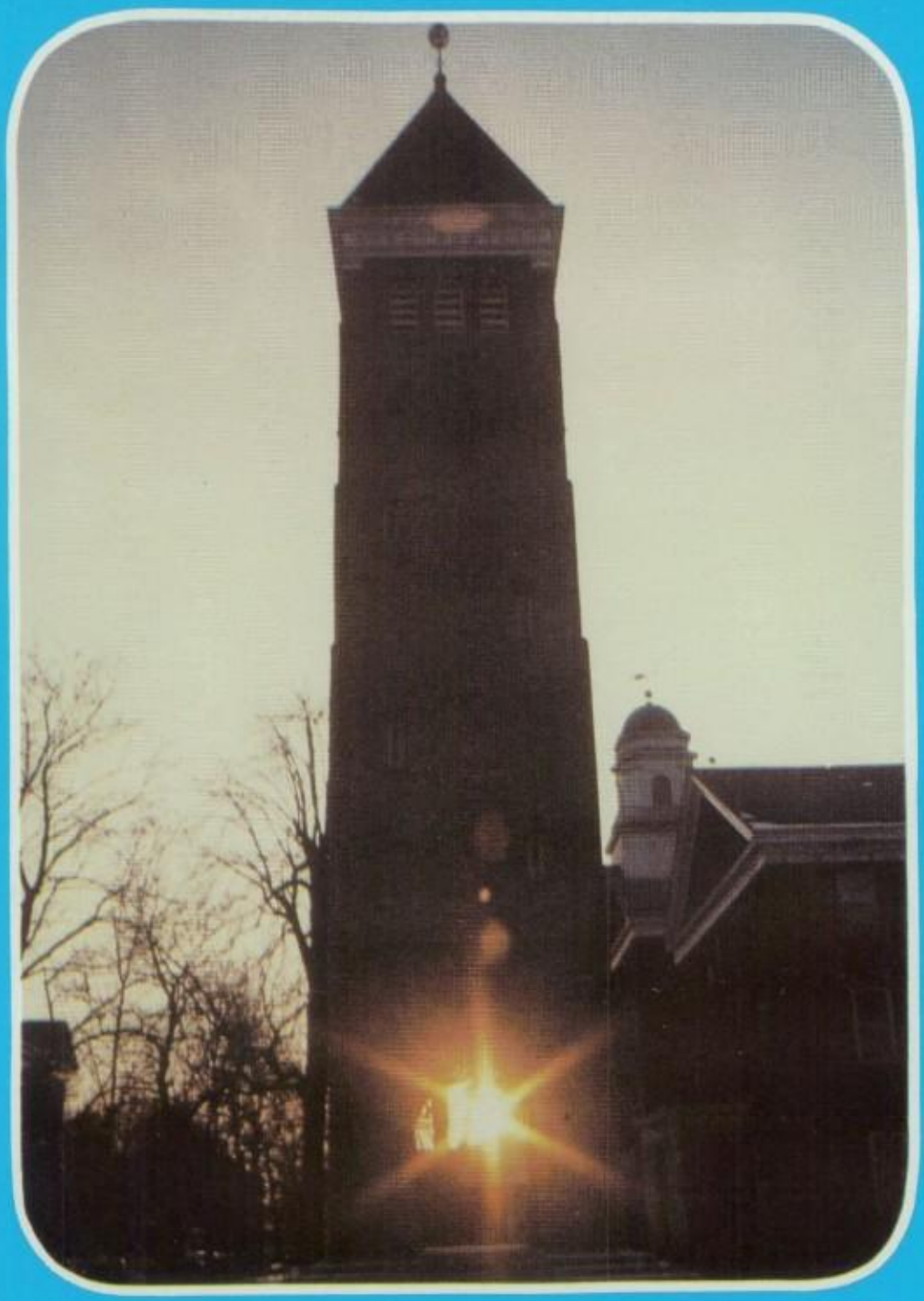
First Row, L. To R.: Dr. Stettler, Kathy Abraham, Frank Horrigan, Beth Jennings, Anne Meyers, Cindy Stetz, Diane Wassil, Mary Tribler. Second Row: Phil Post, Tim Moran, Willard Everett, Sue Morris, Abby Rodda, Daphne Veras, Vern Mackall, Herb Quick. Third Row: Ed Gronka, Nina Slomowitz, Jannell Decker, Amy Prashker. Kathy Fairman. Ray Kresge, Dean Klarsch.





Class Of 1977

SENIORS



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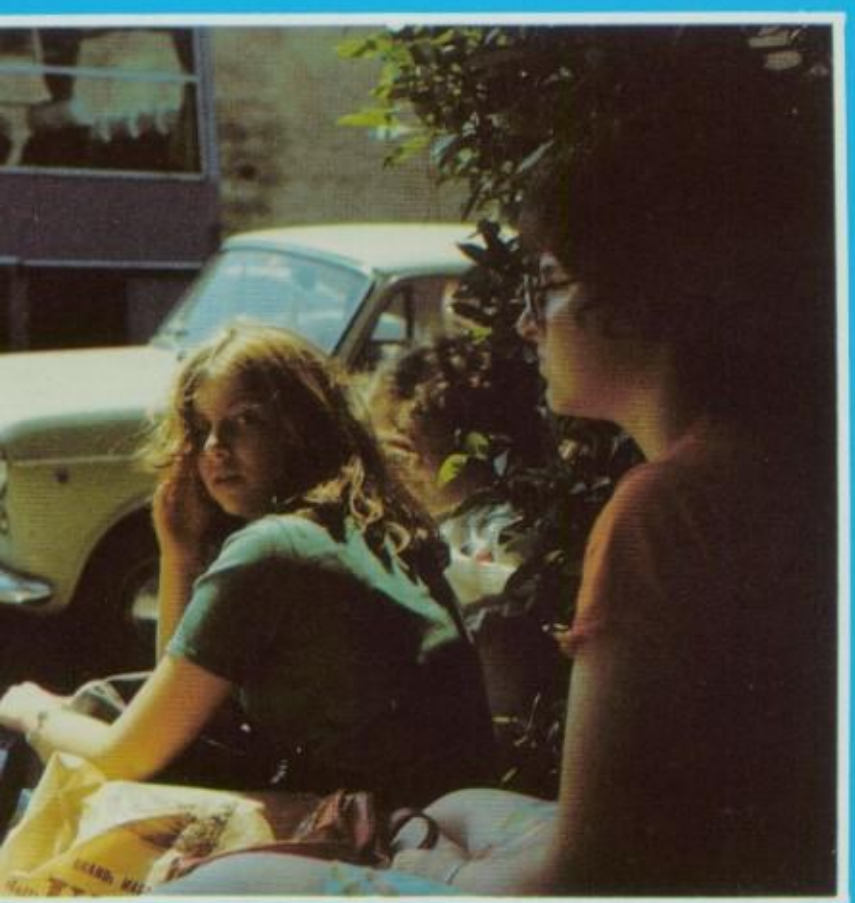
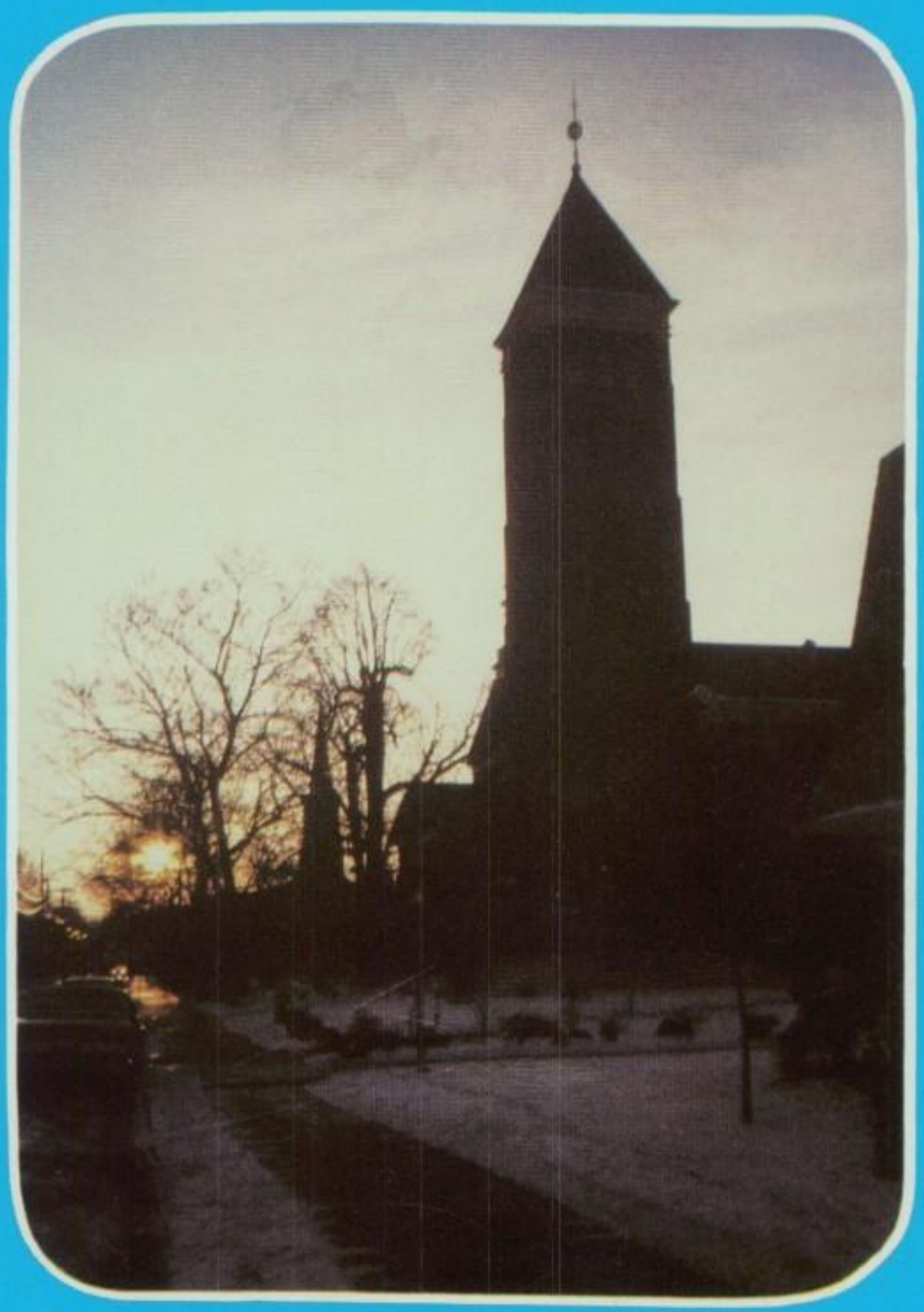
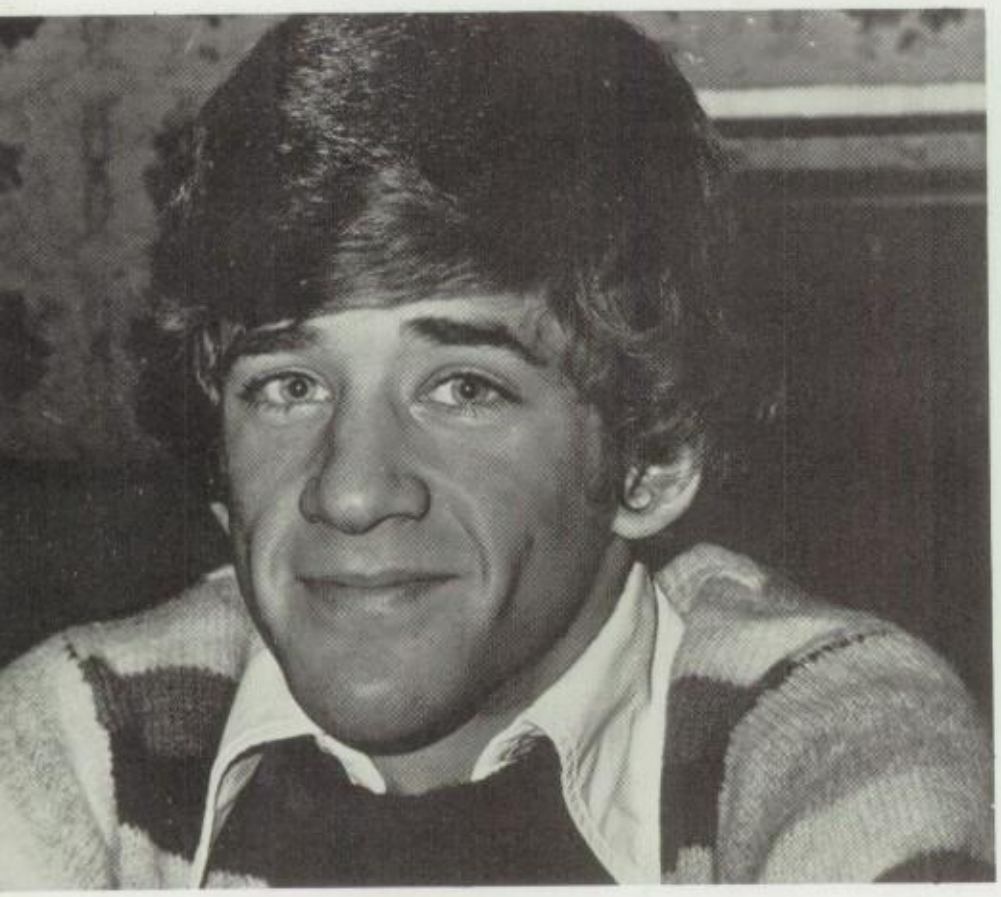




Bob Wise



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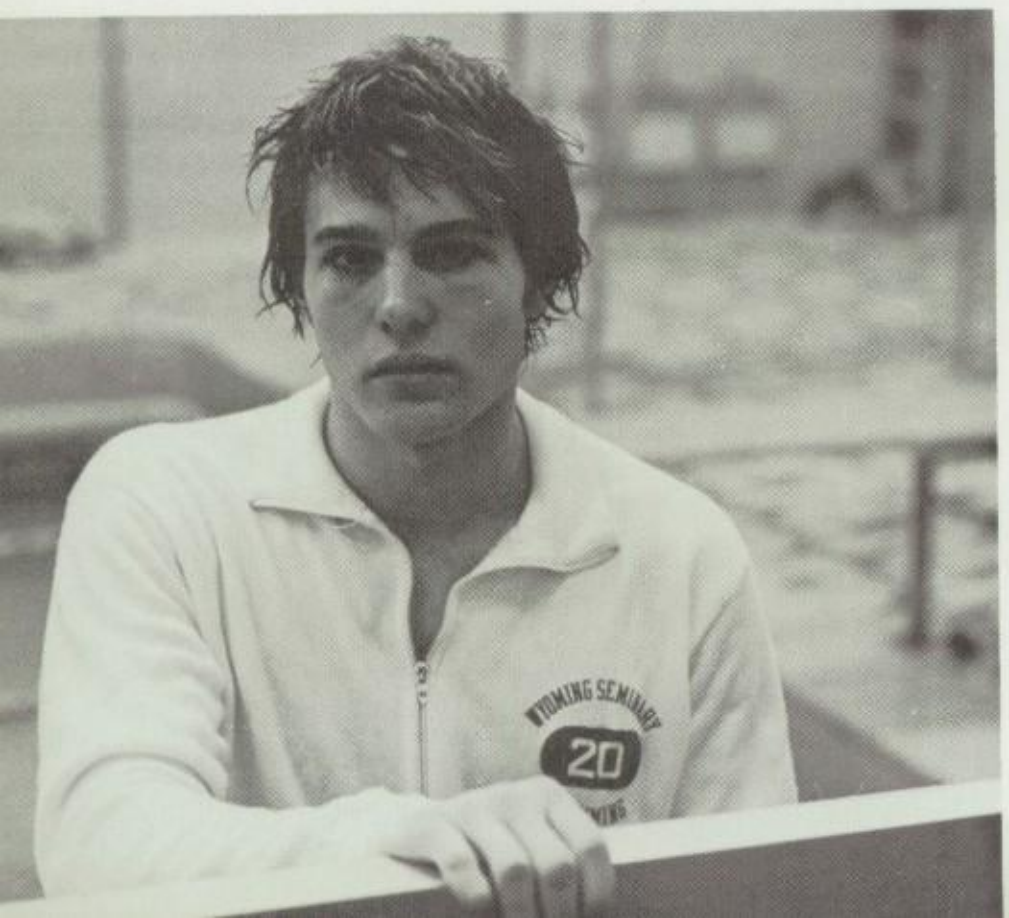

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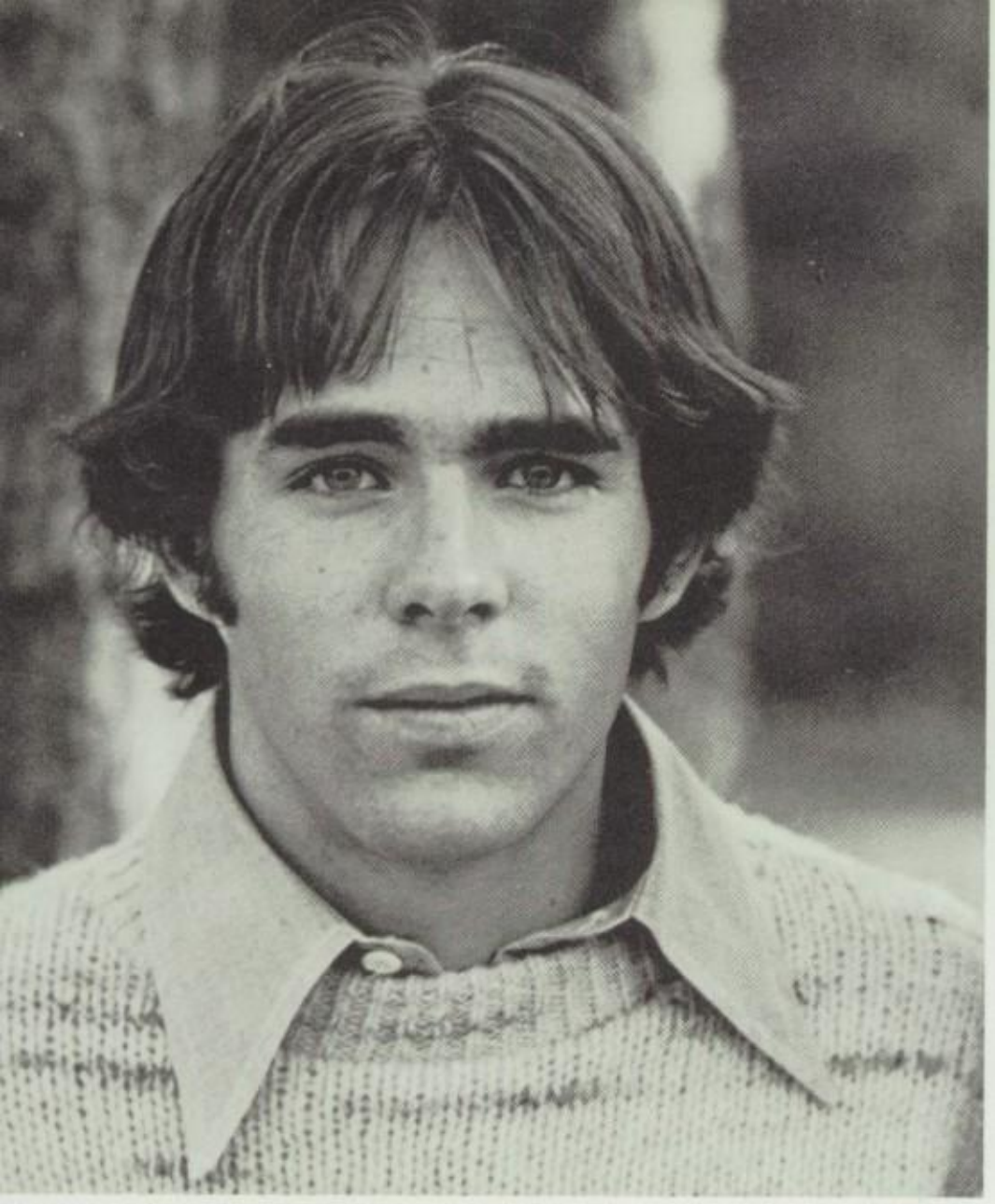

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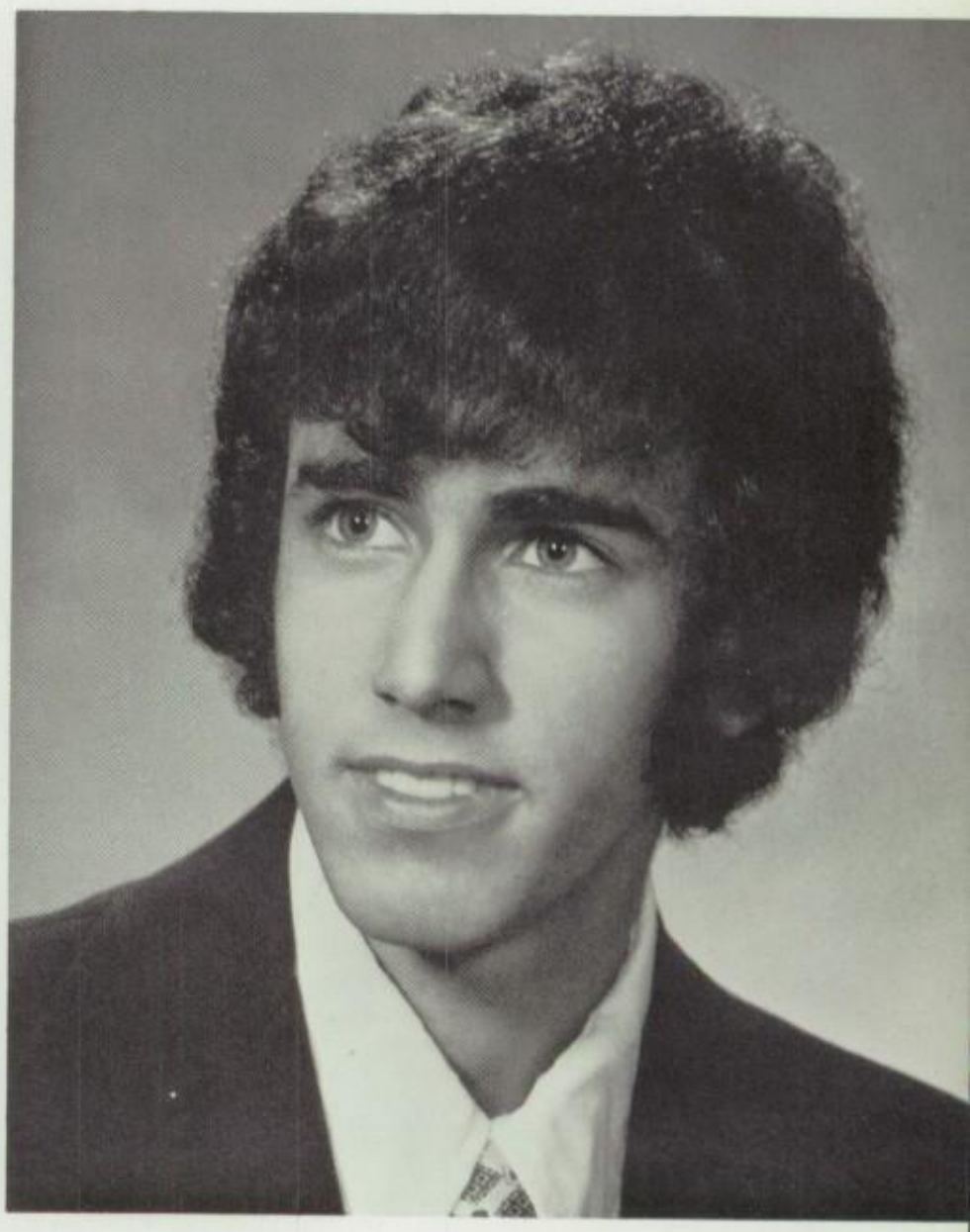

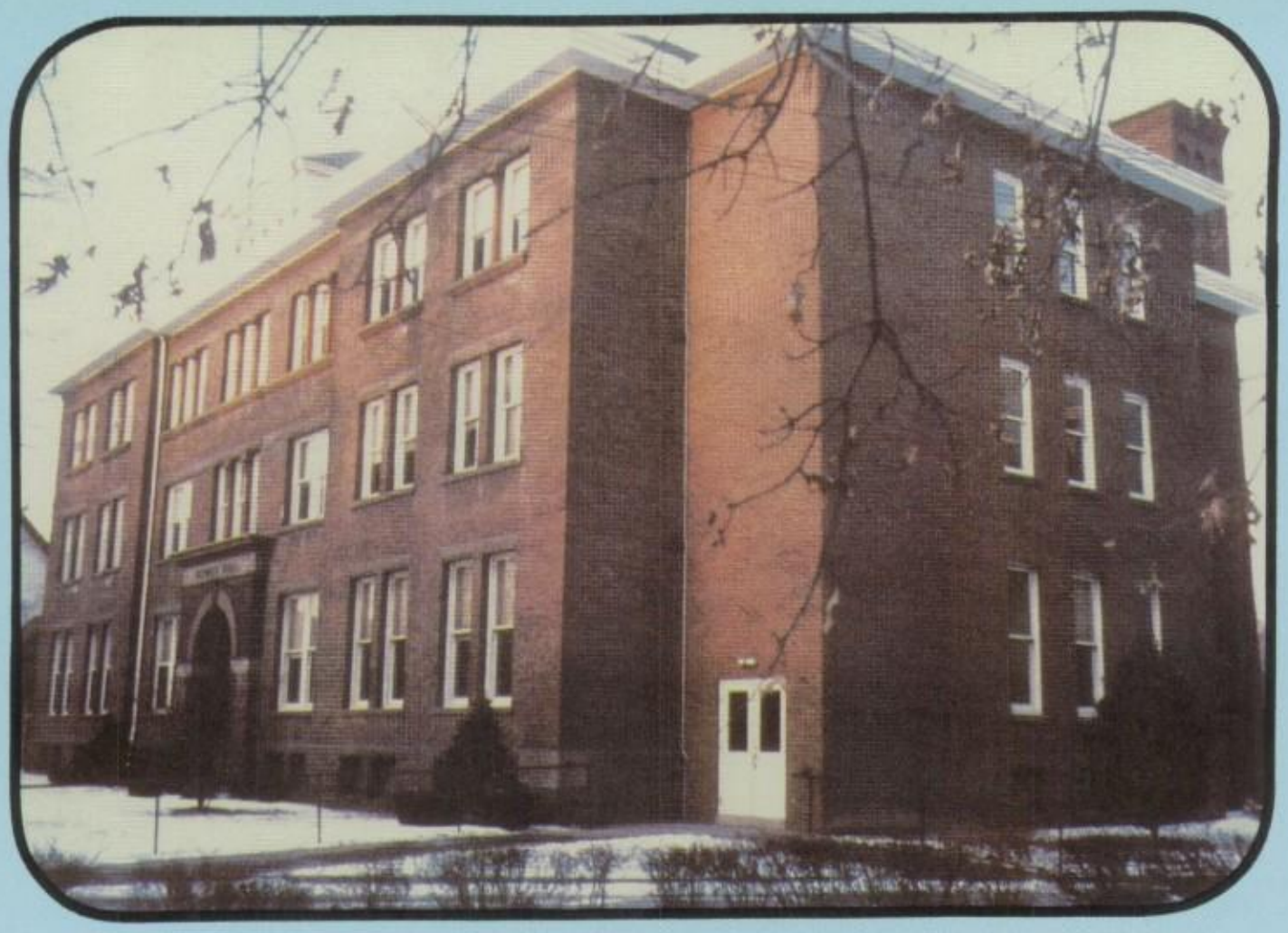

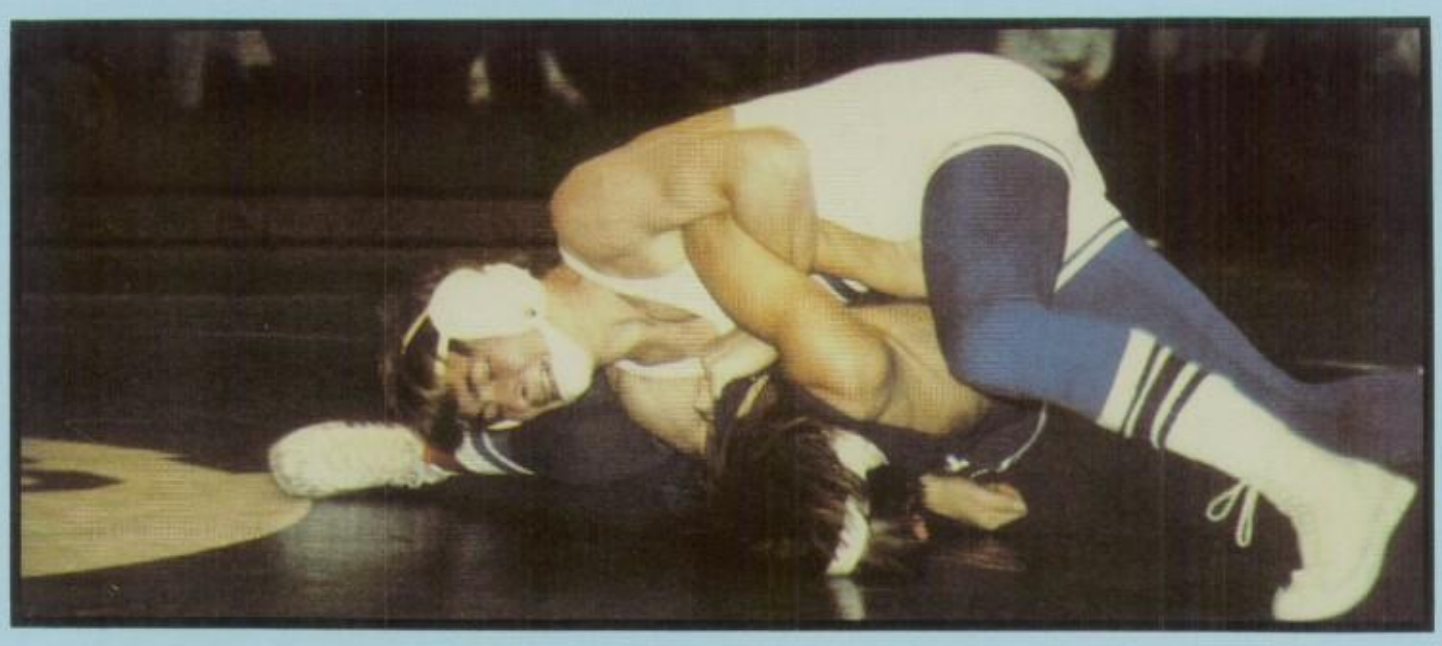

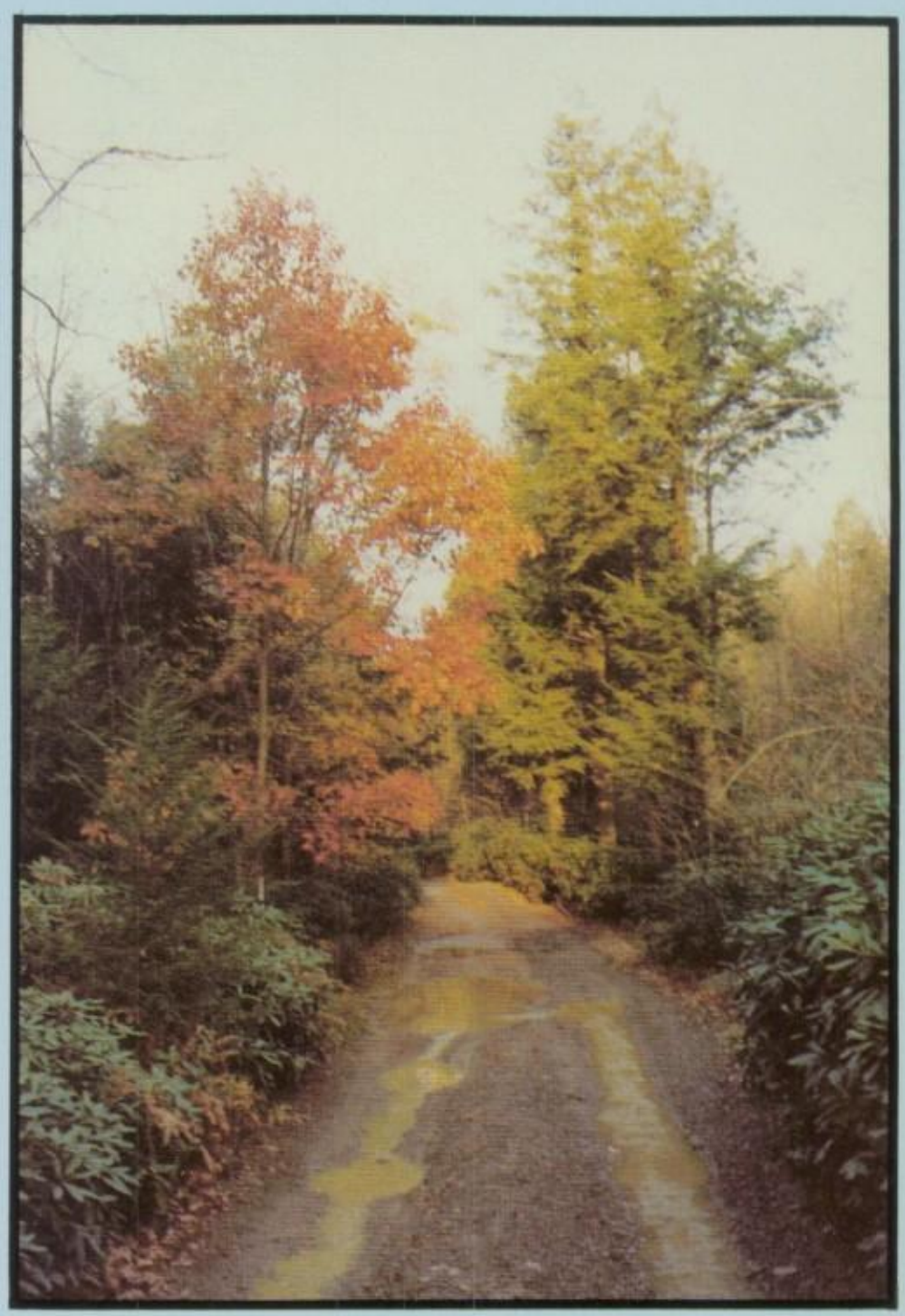

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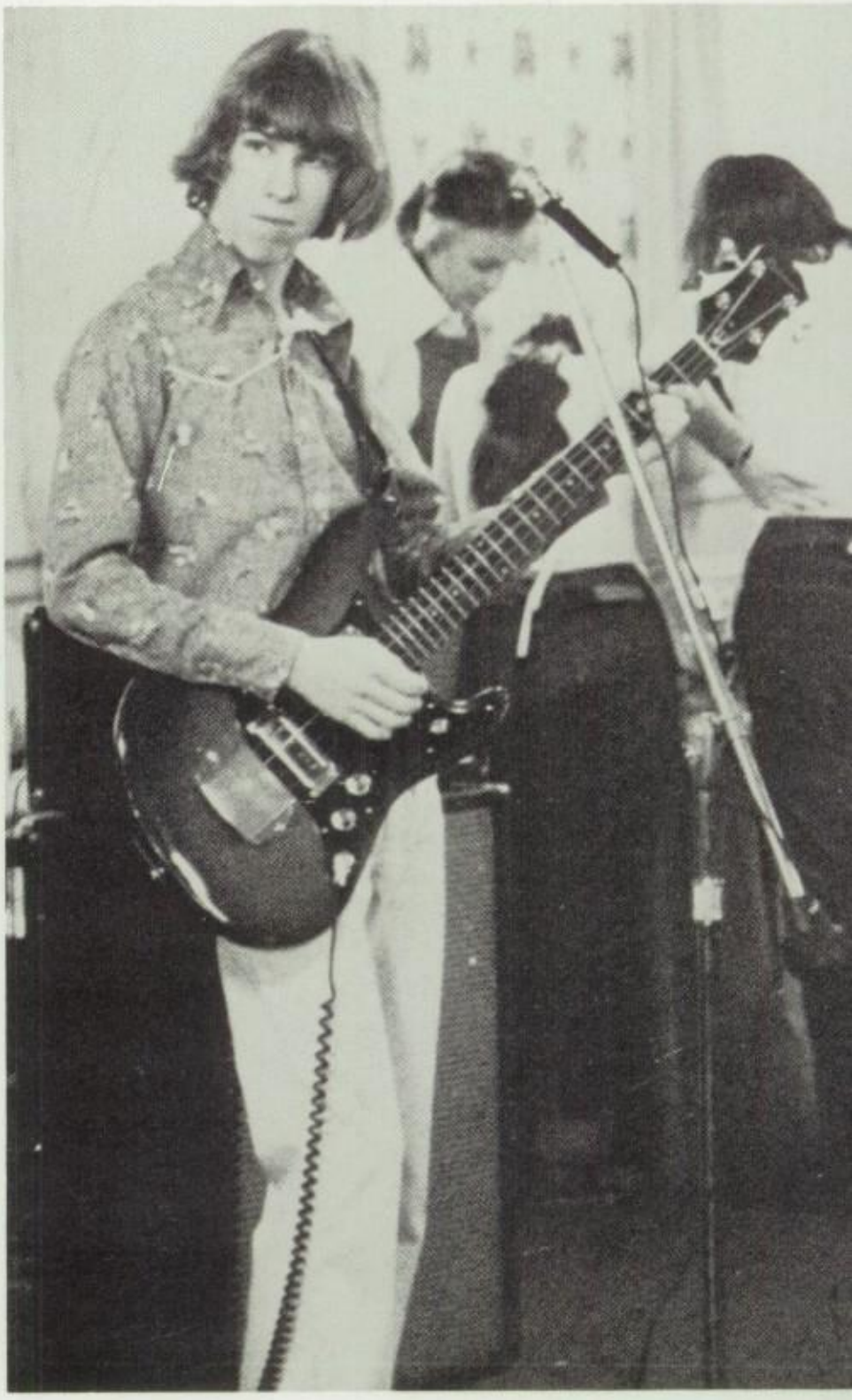

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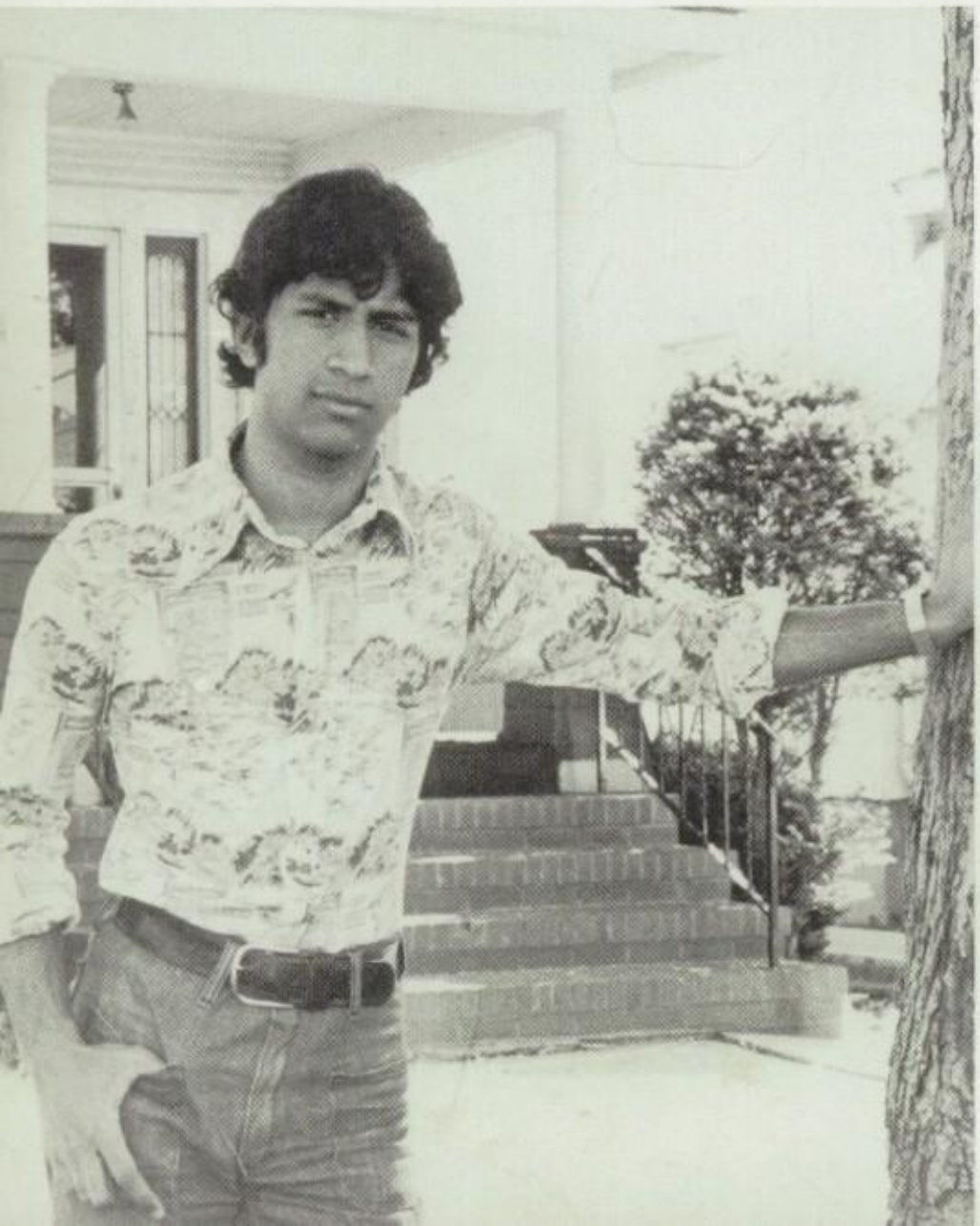

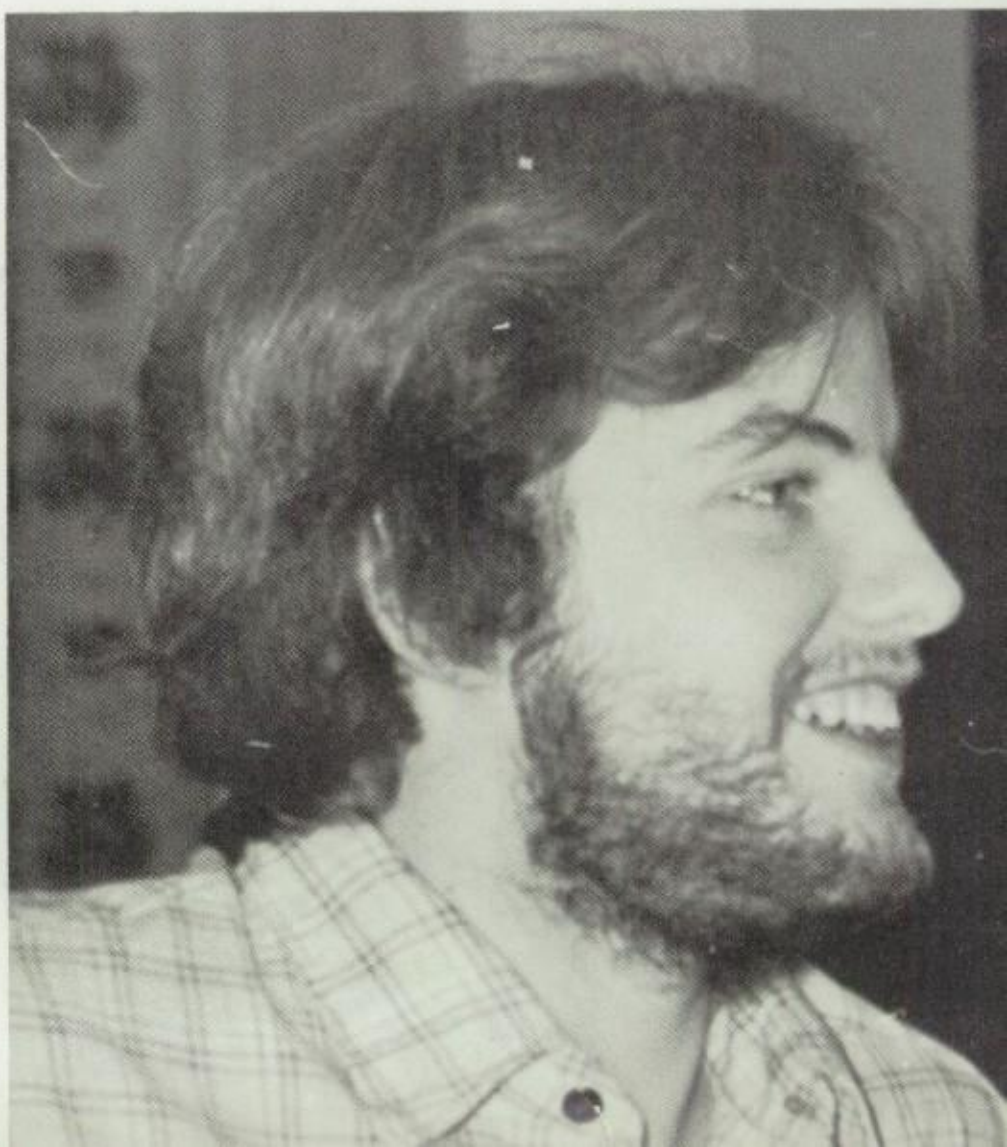

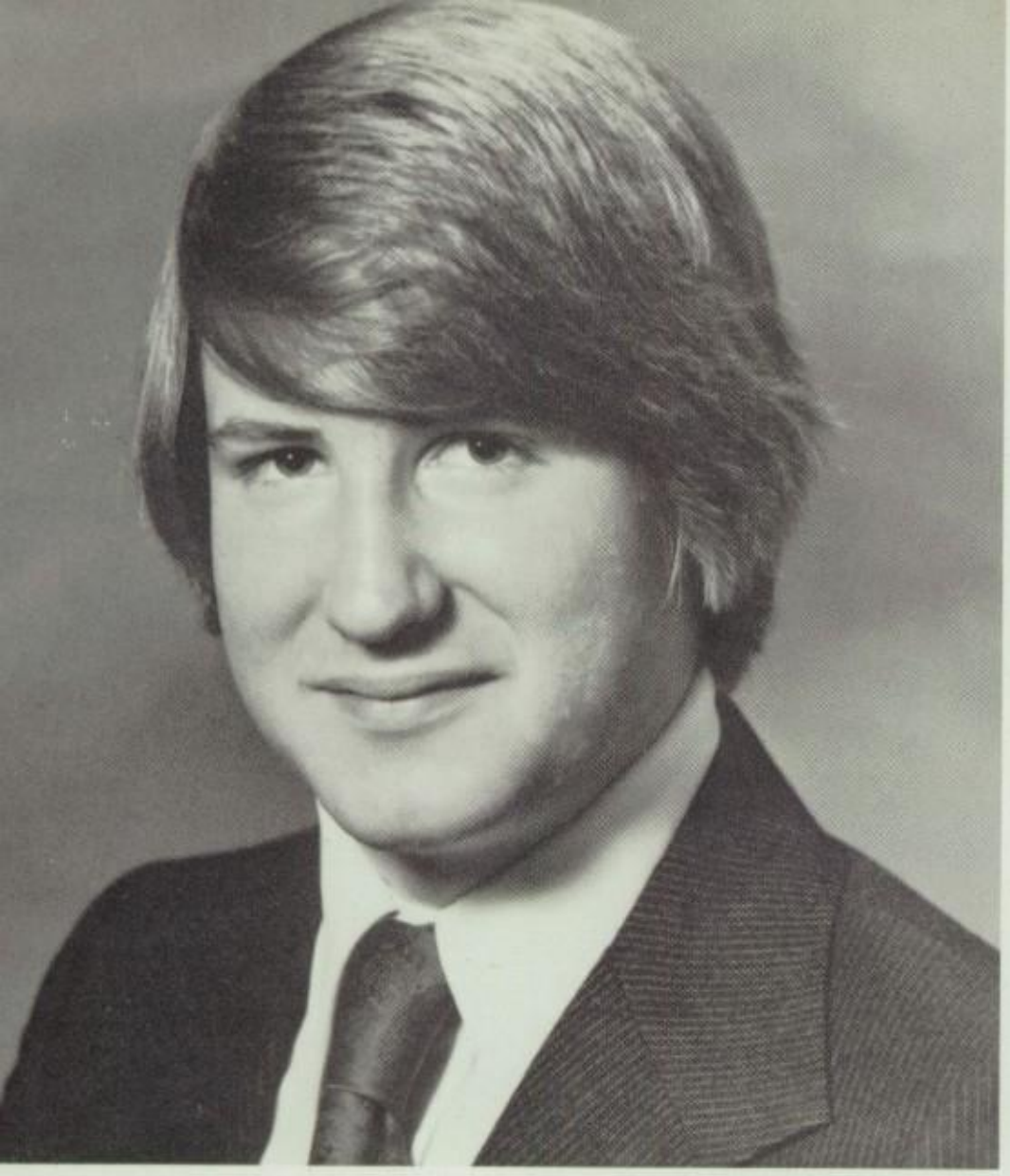

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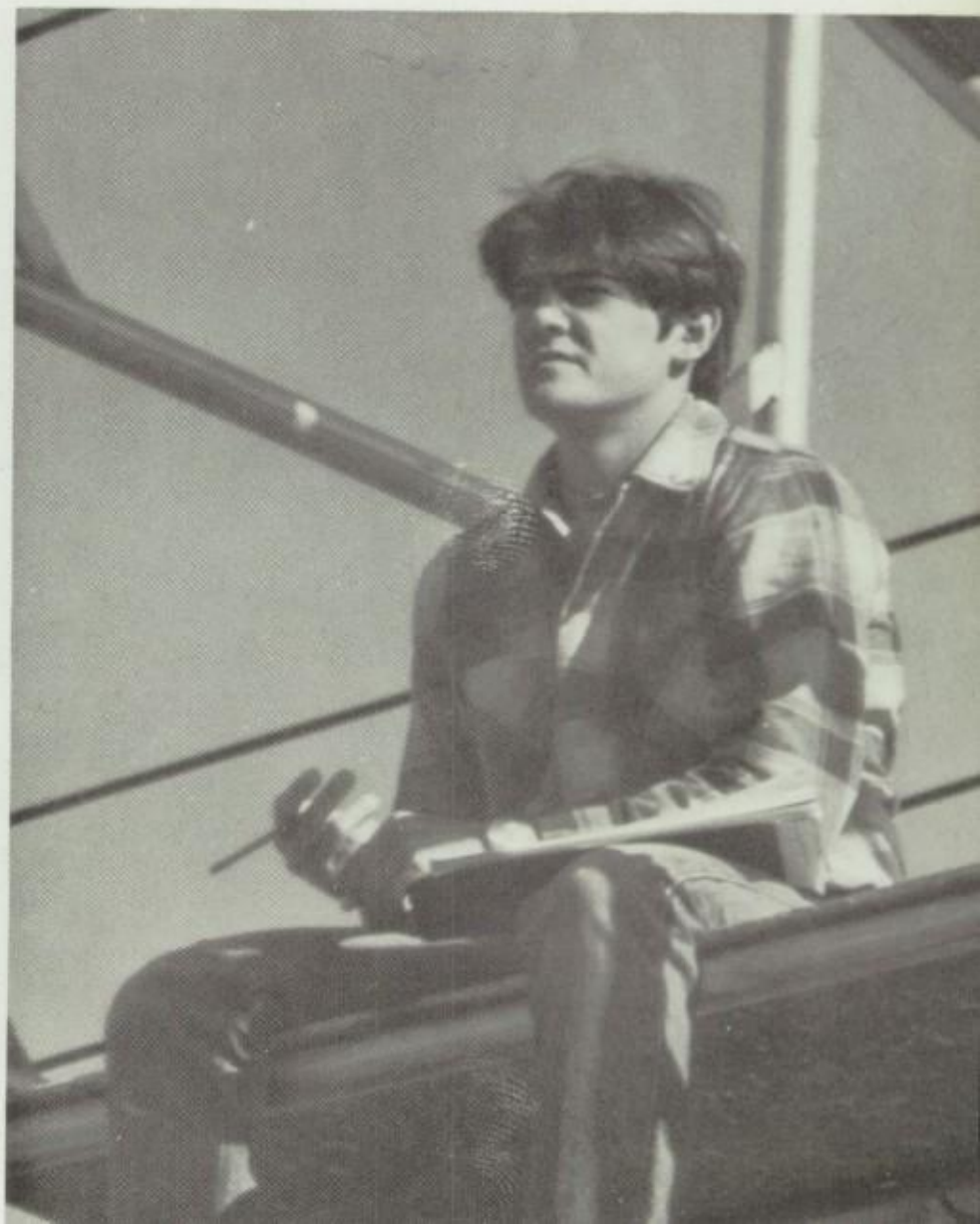

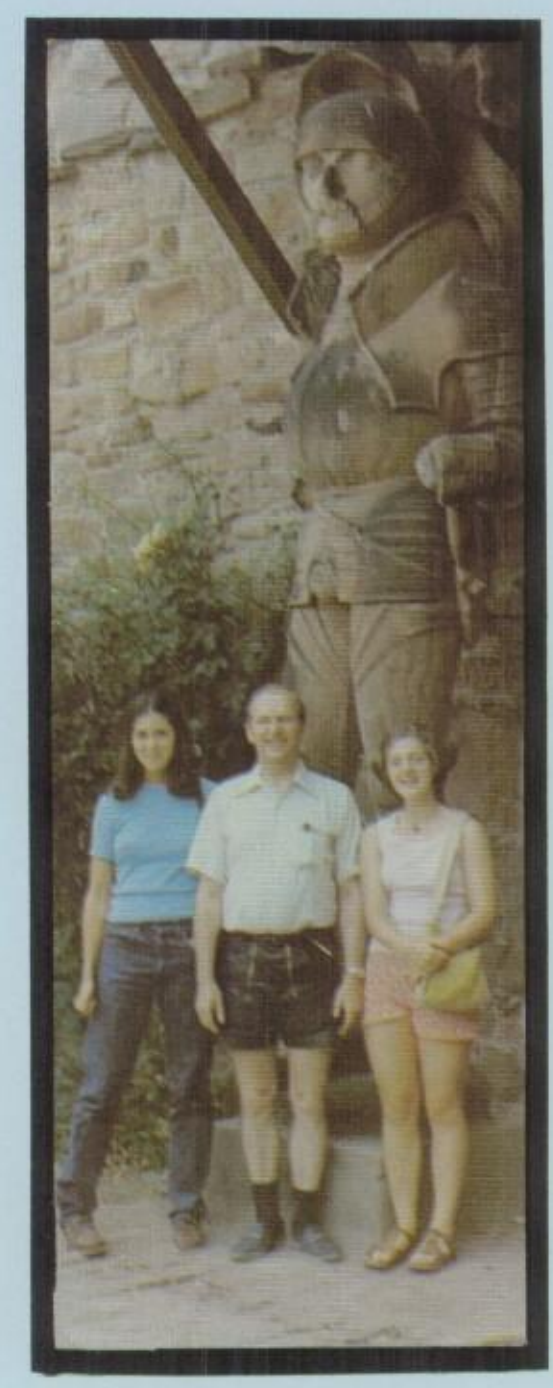

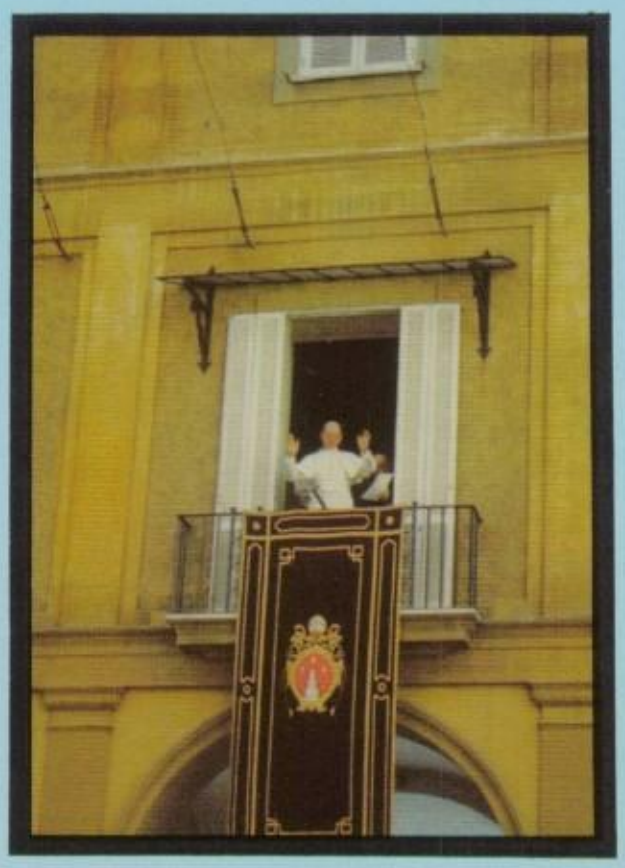

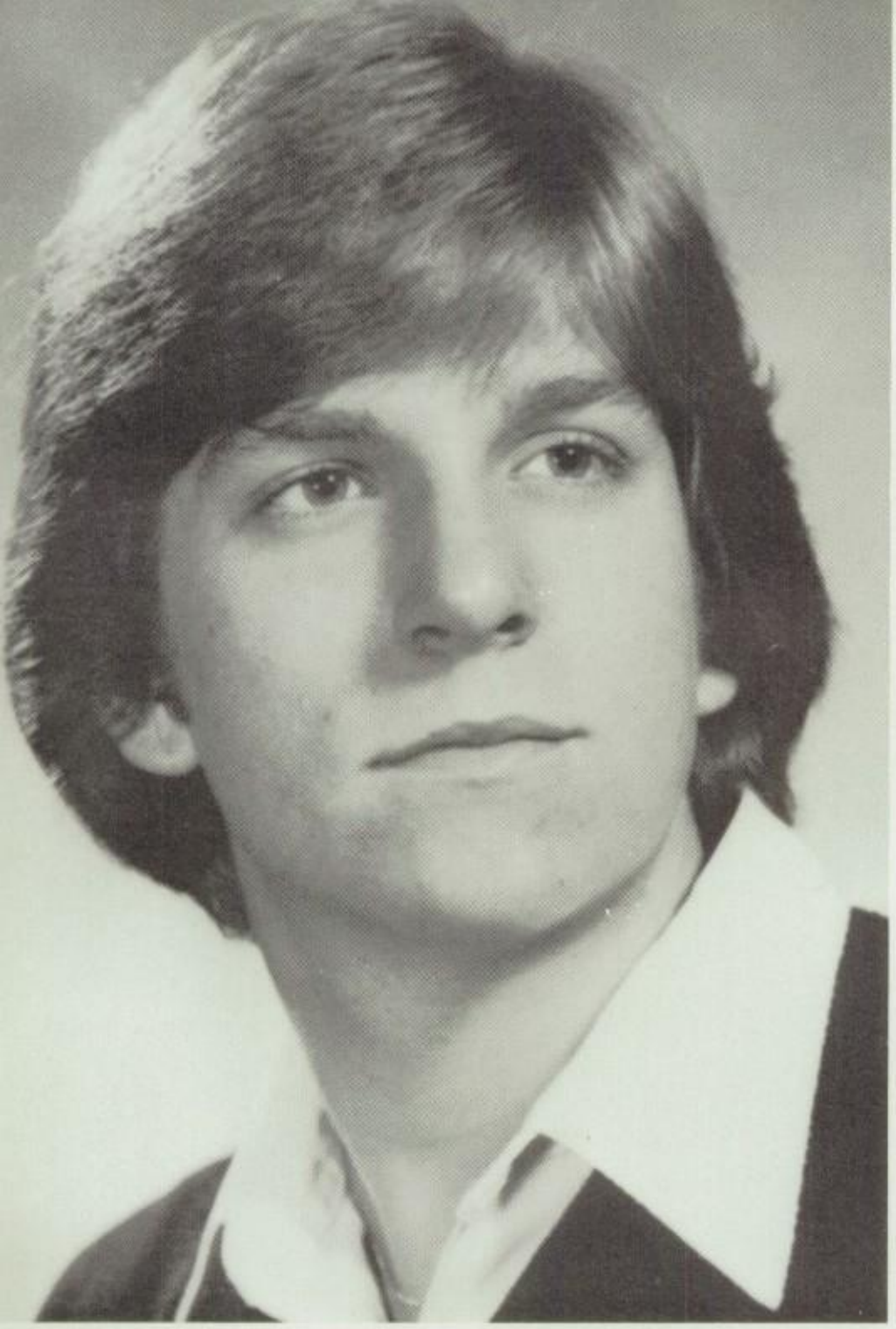

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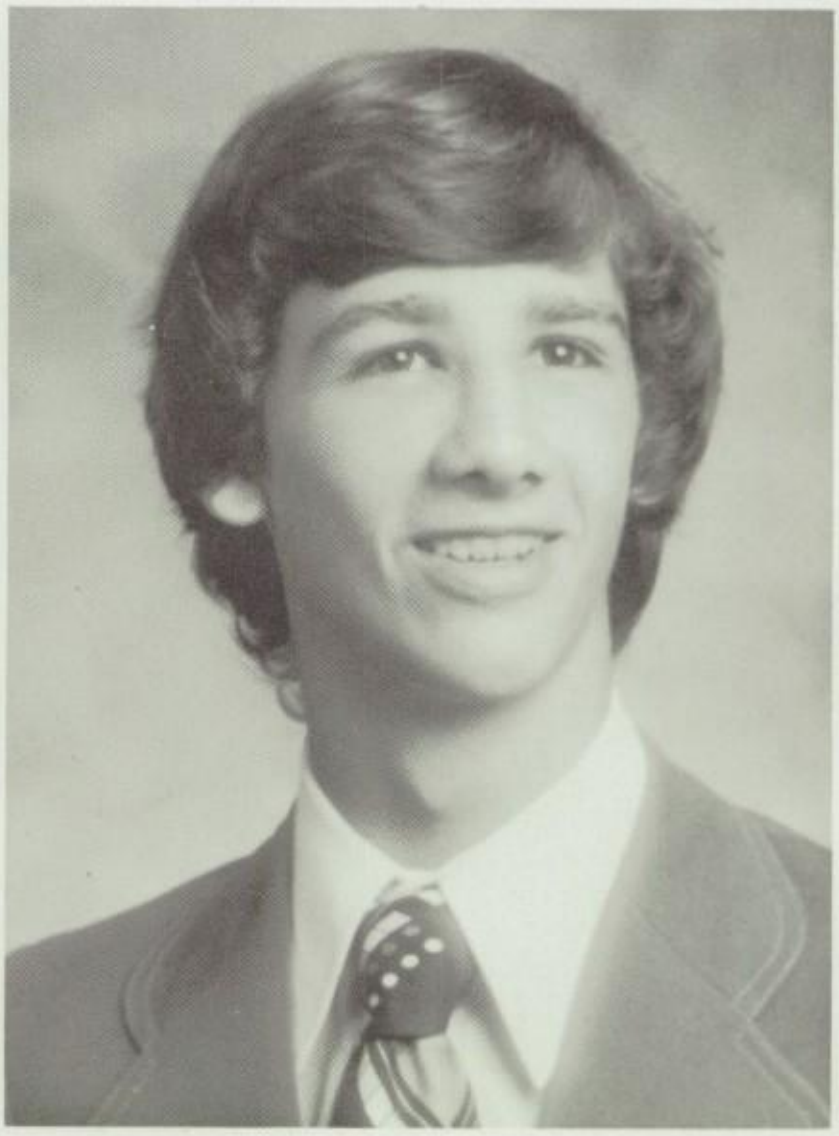

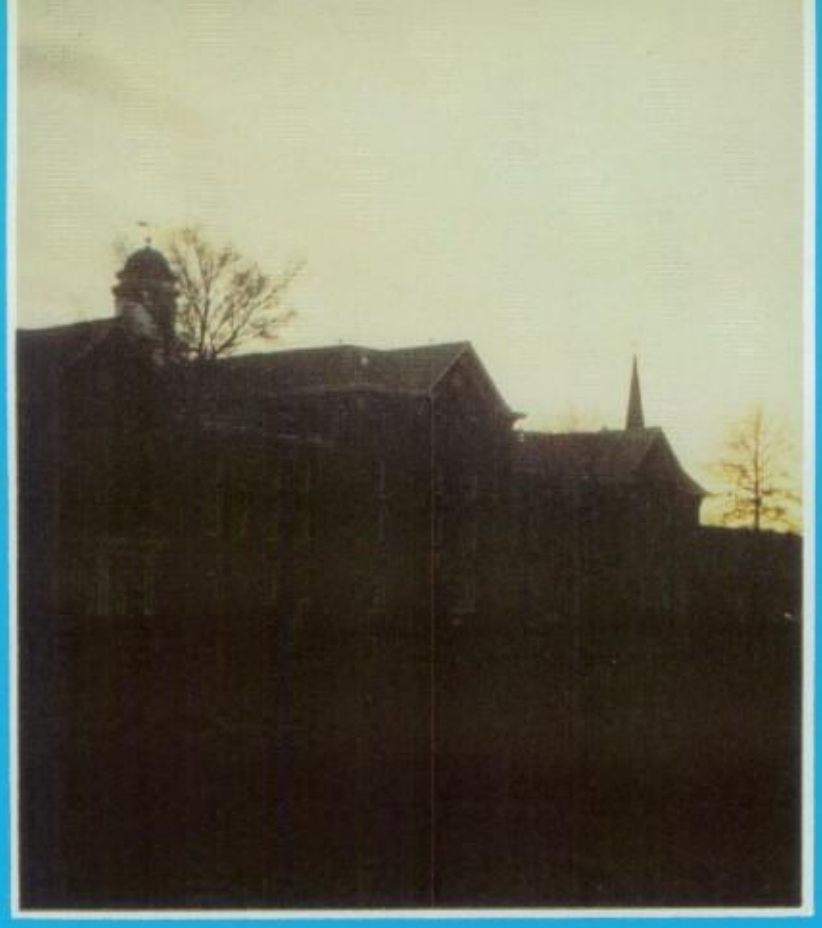

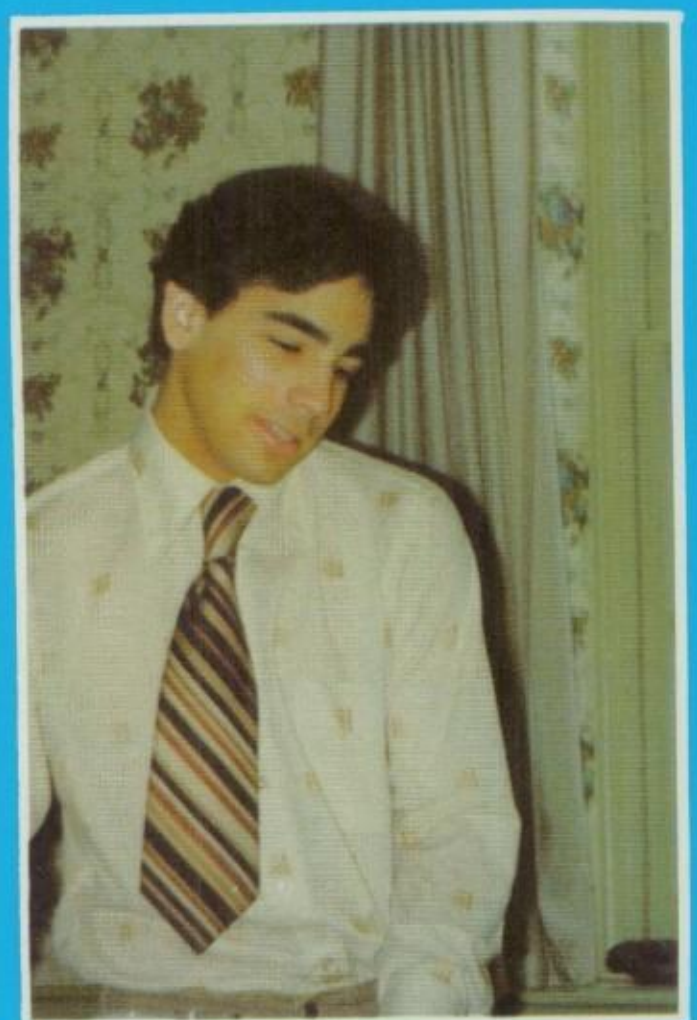

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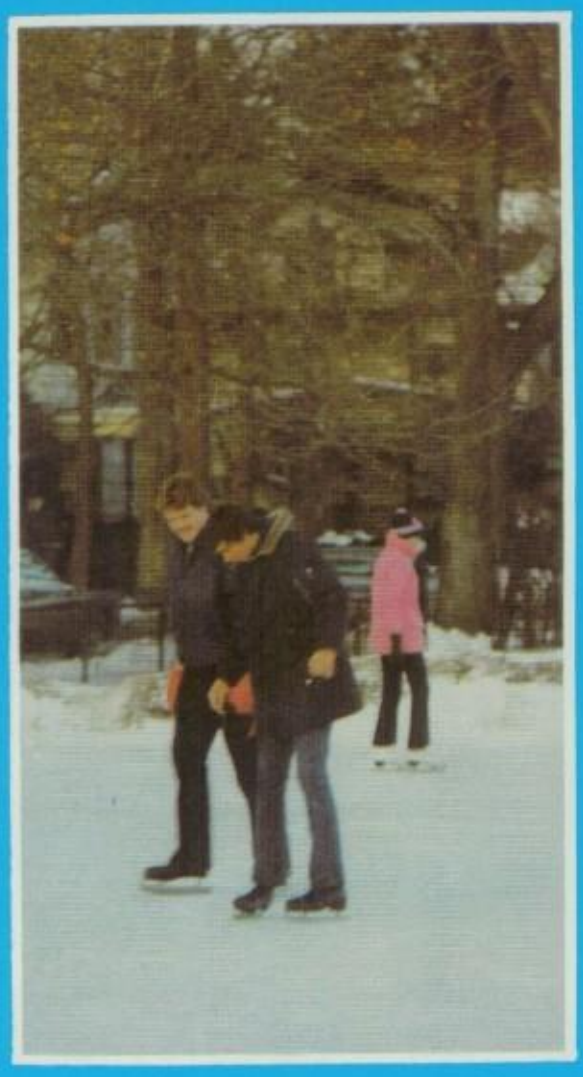

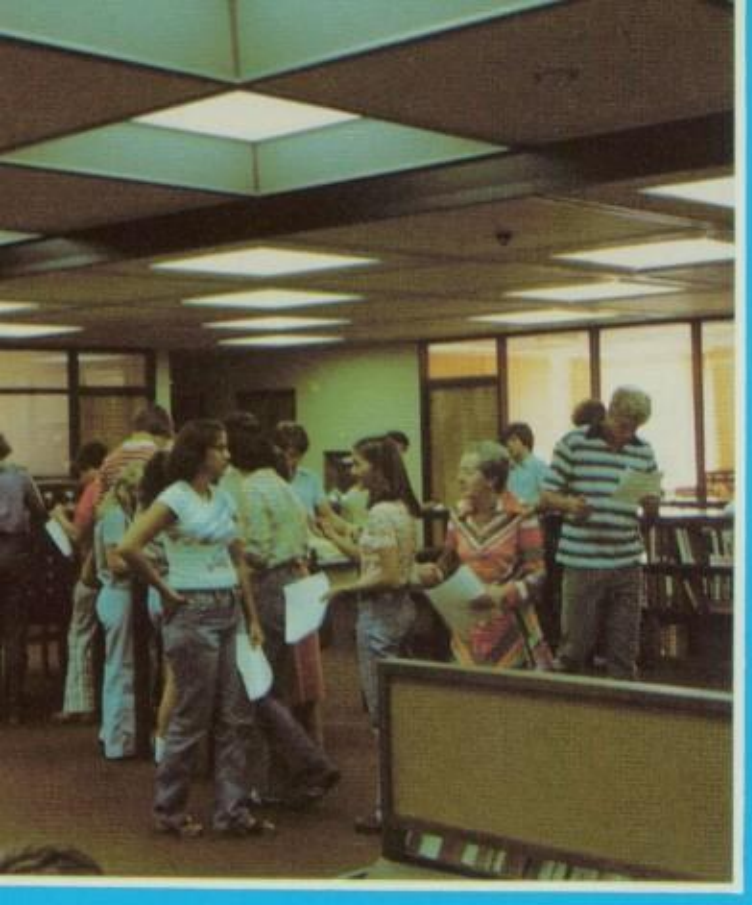

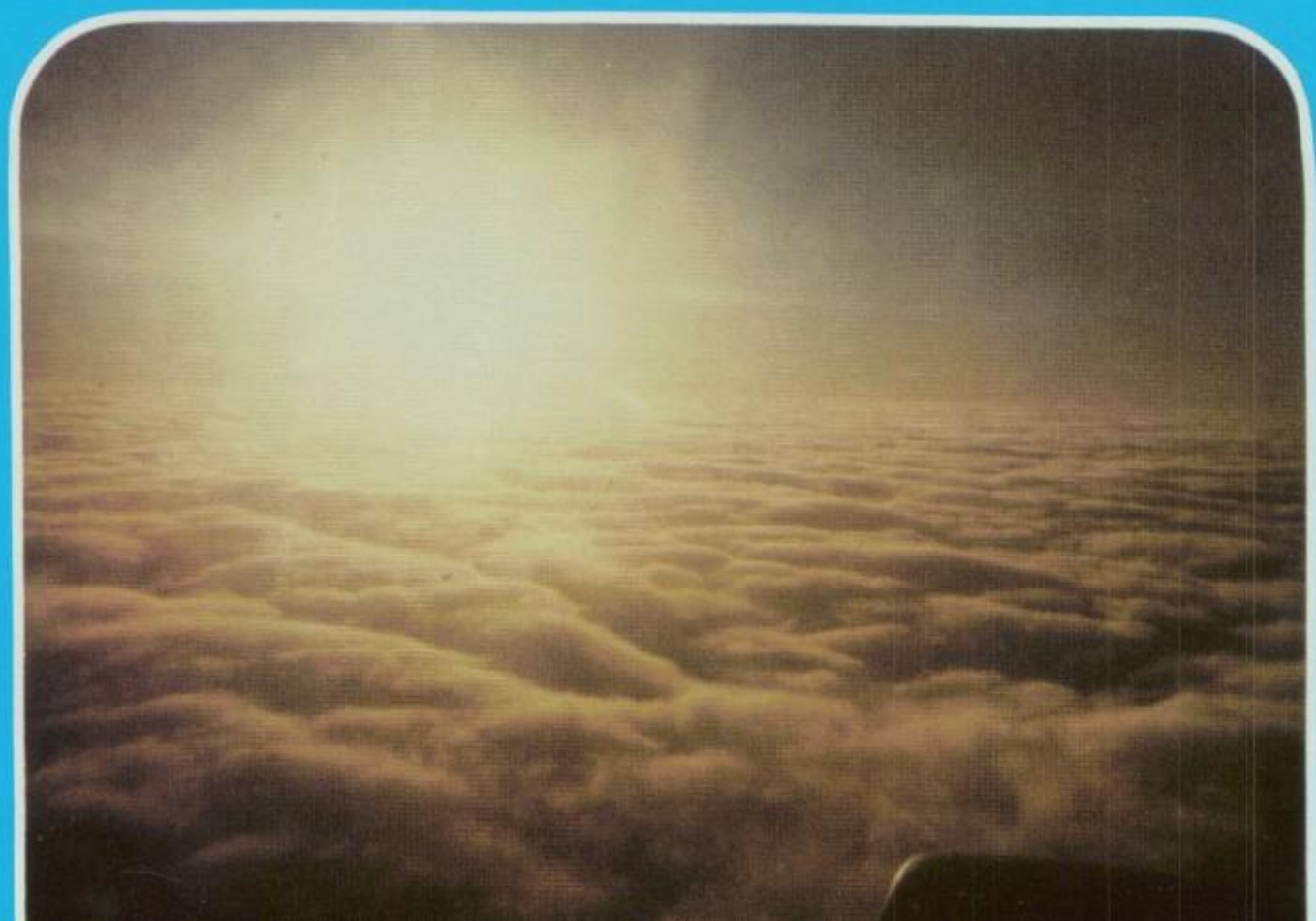

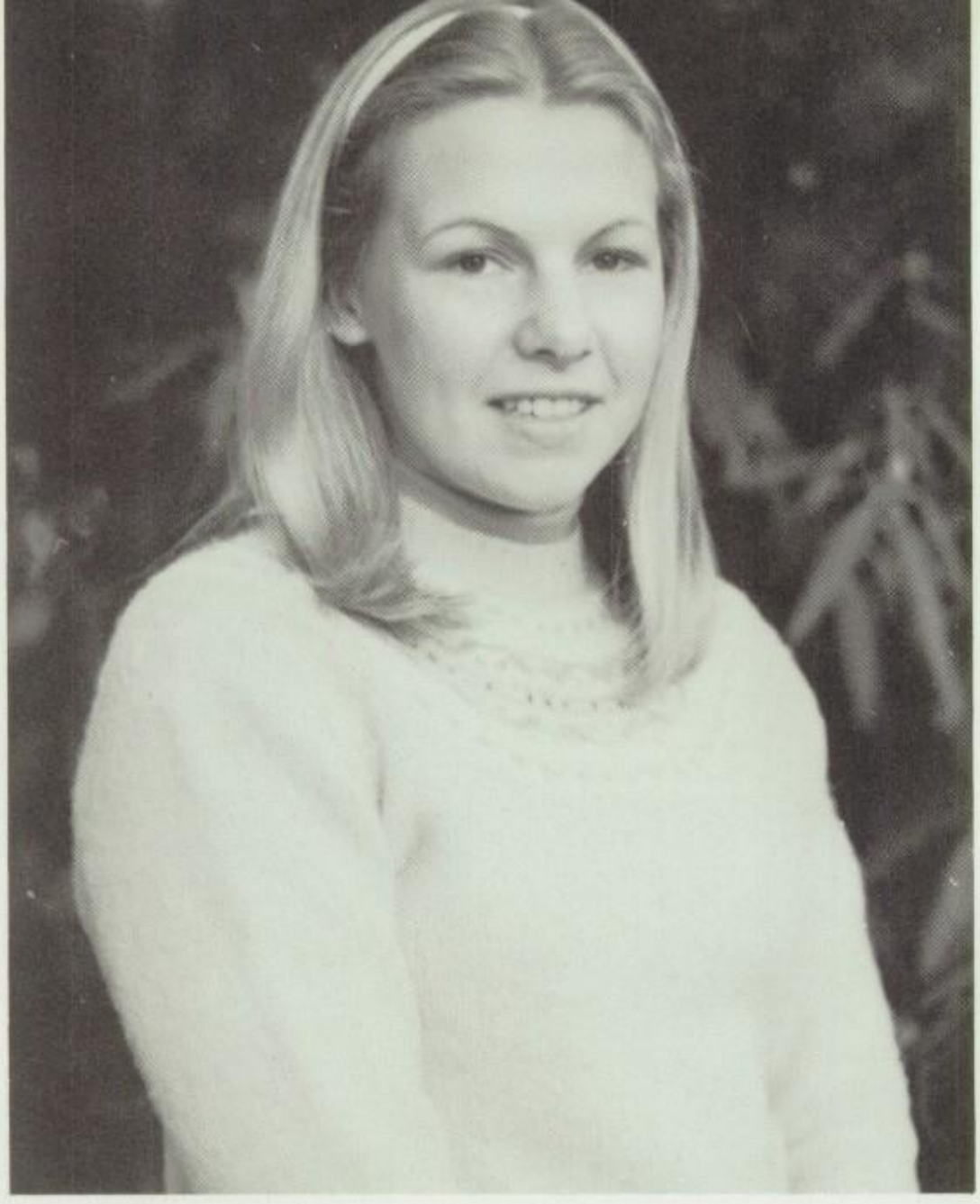

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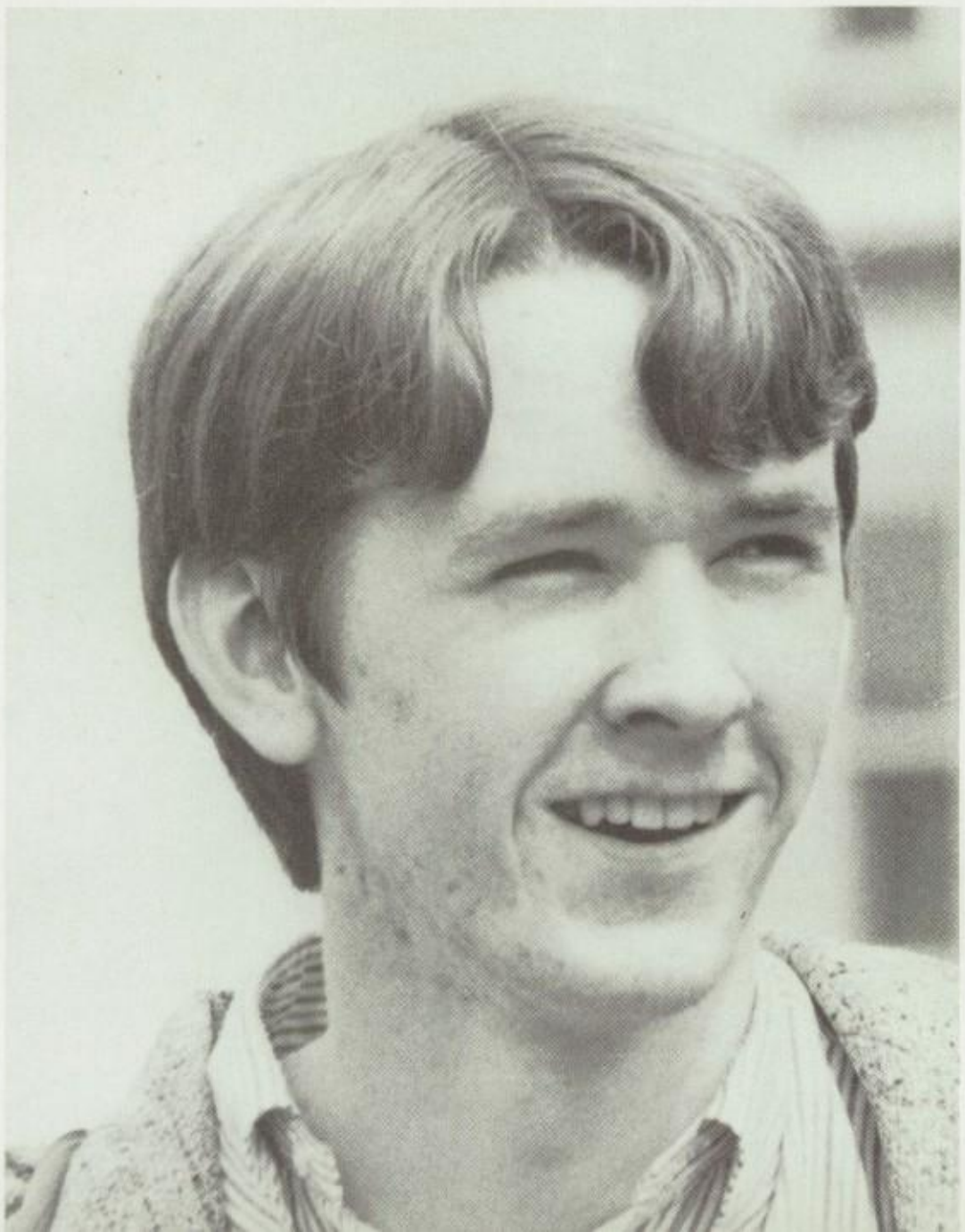

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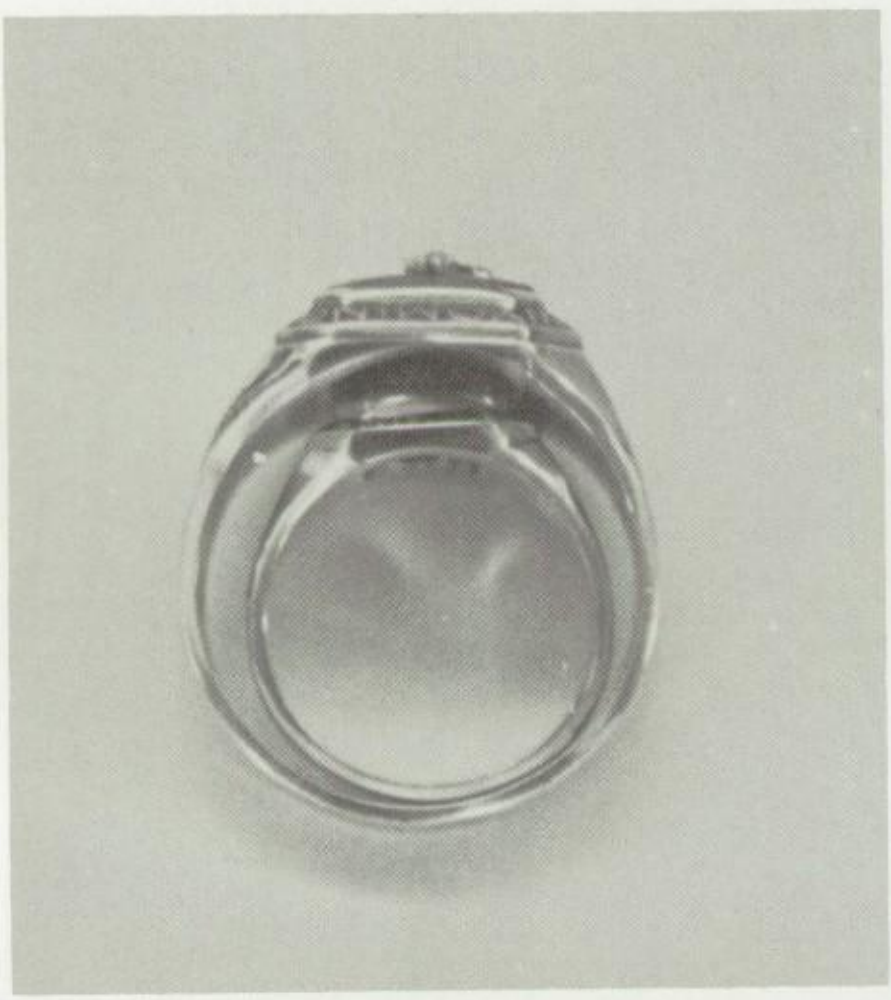

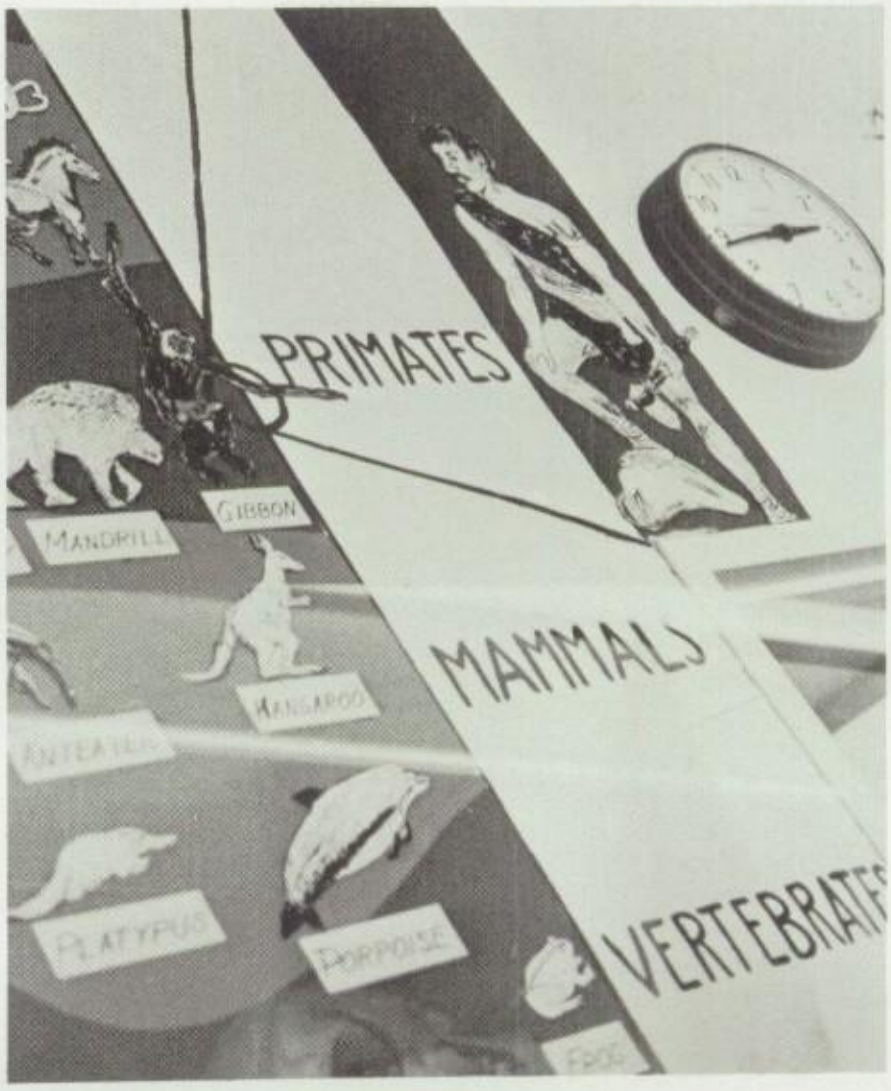
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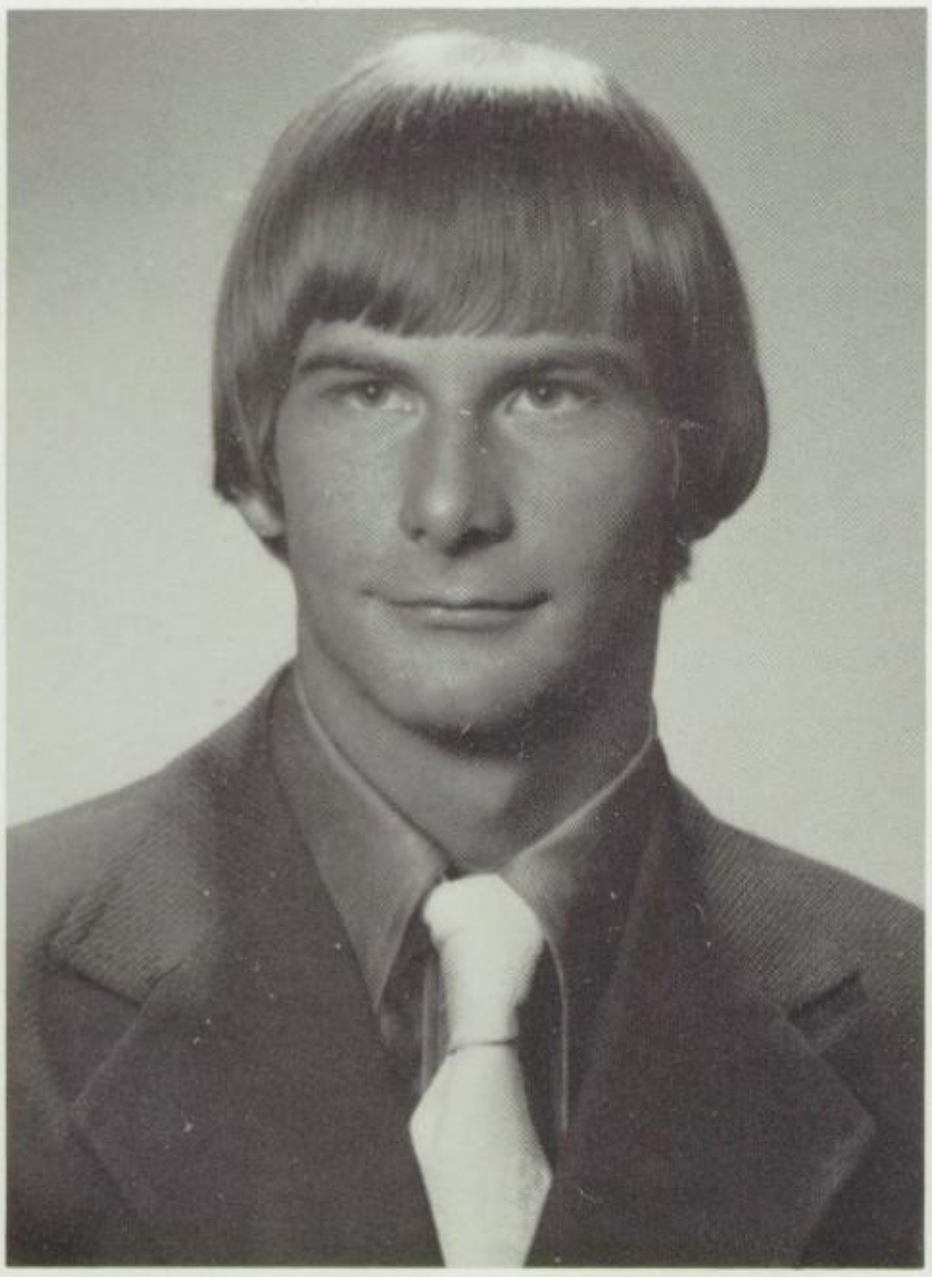

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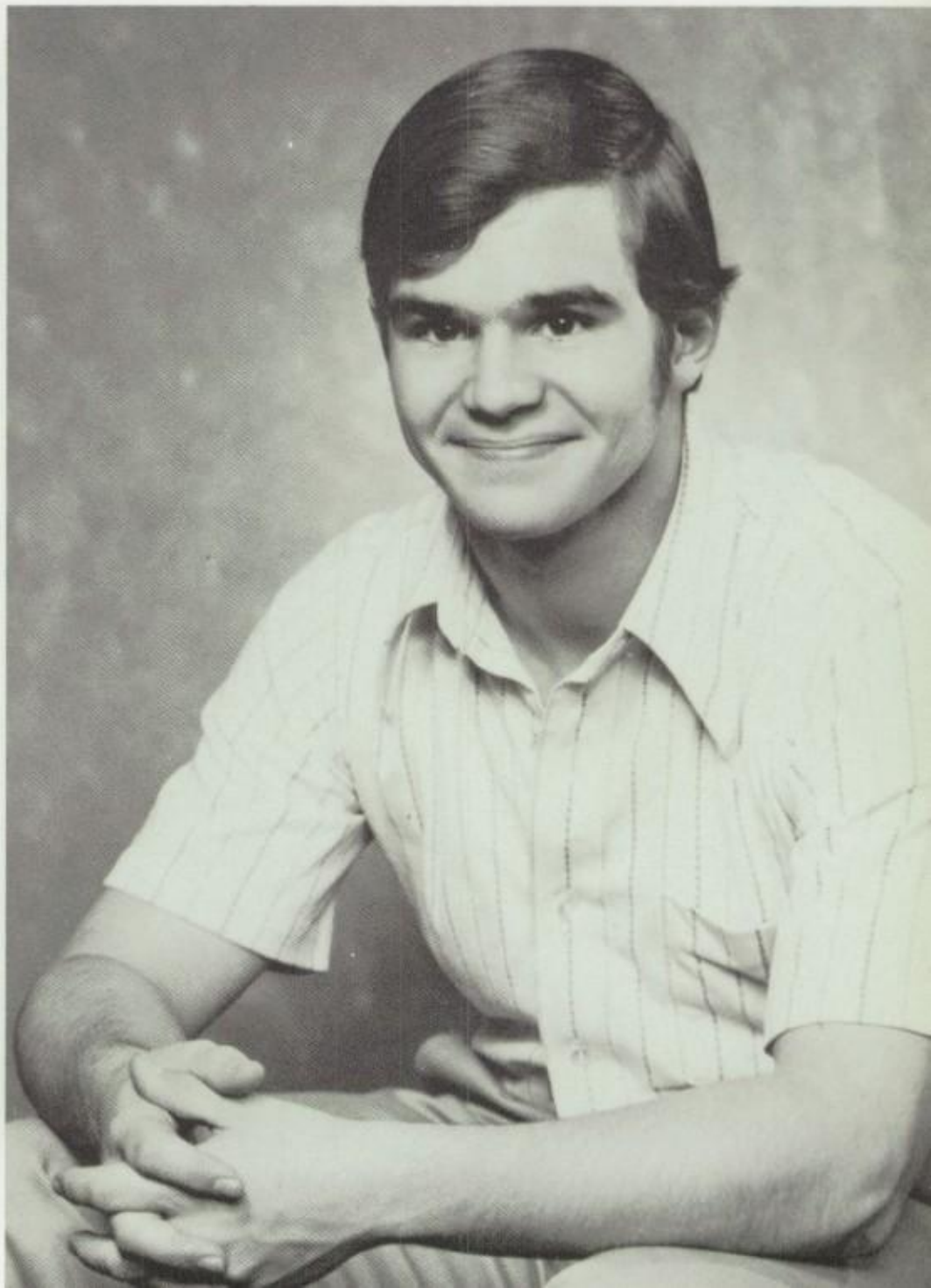

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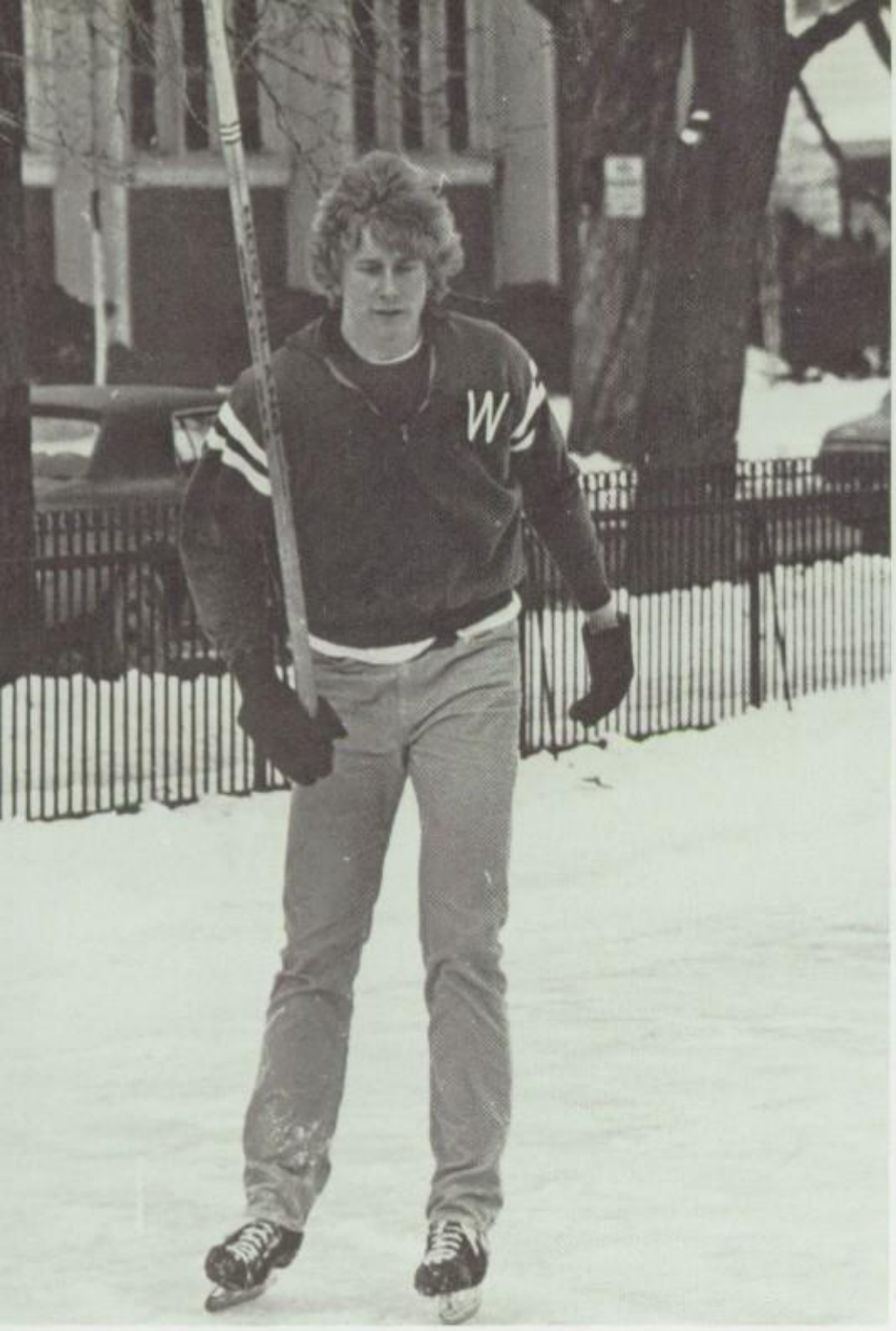

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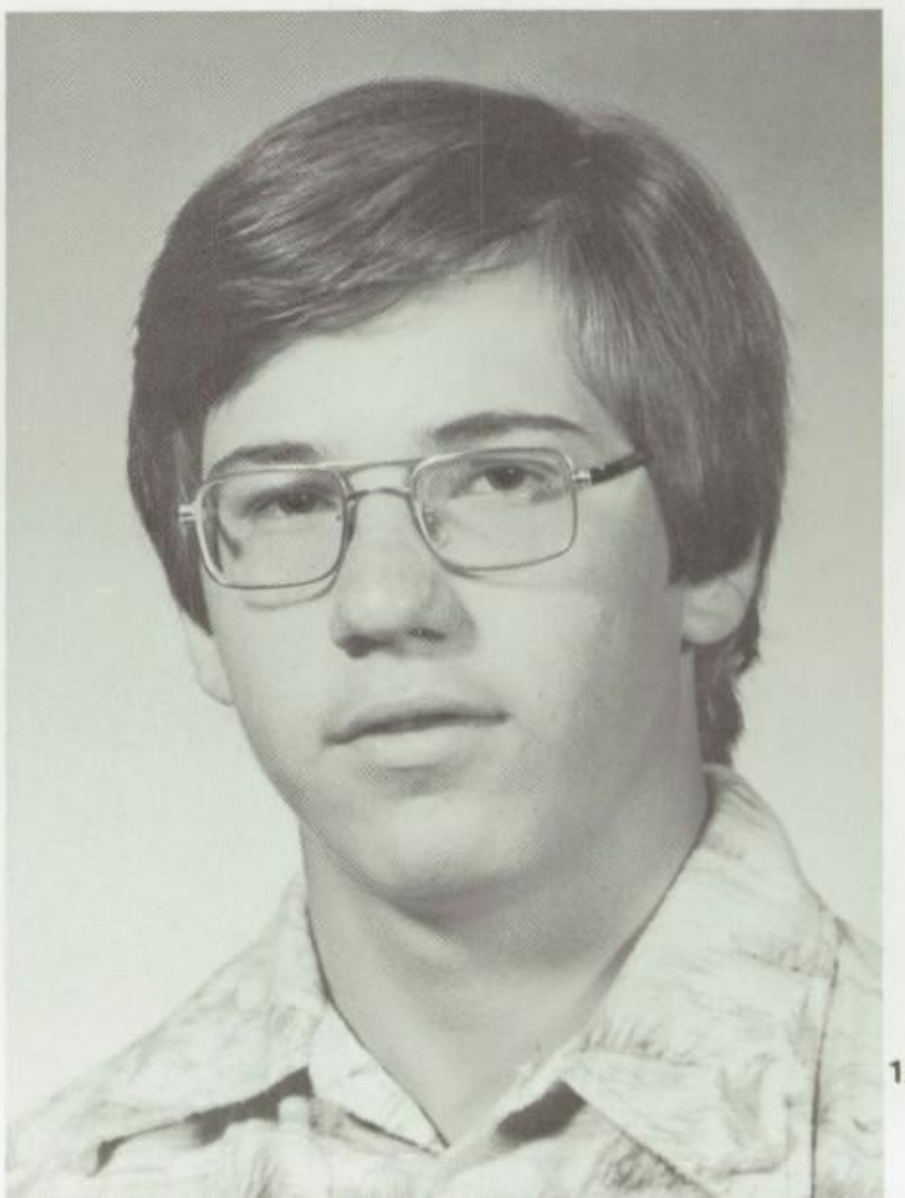

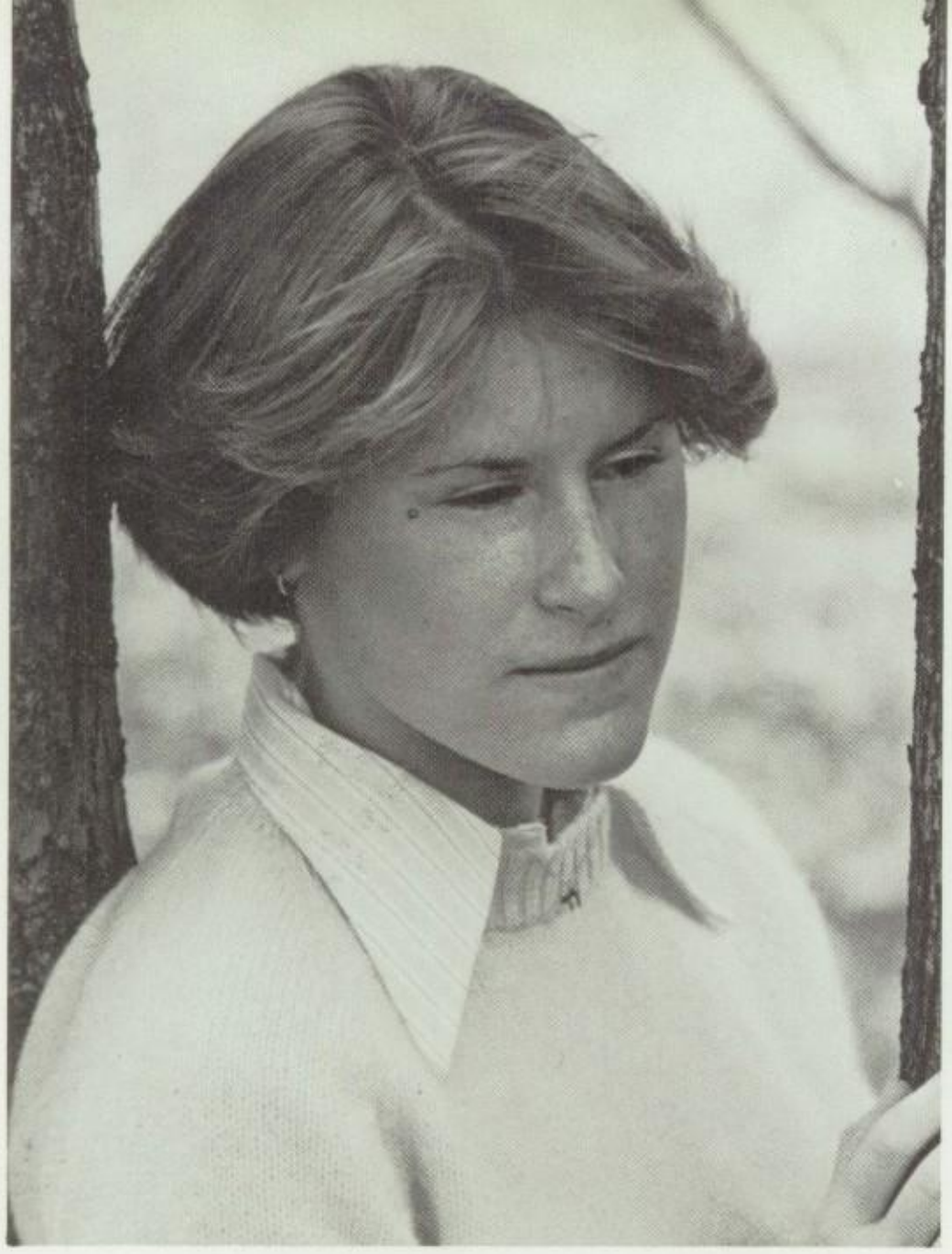

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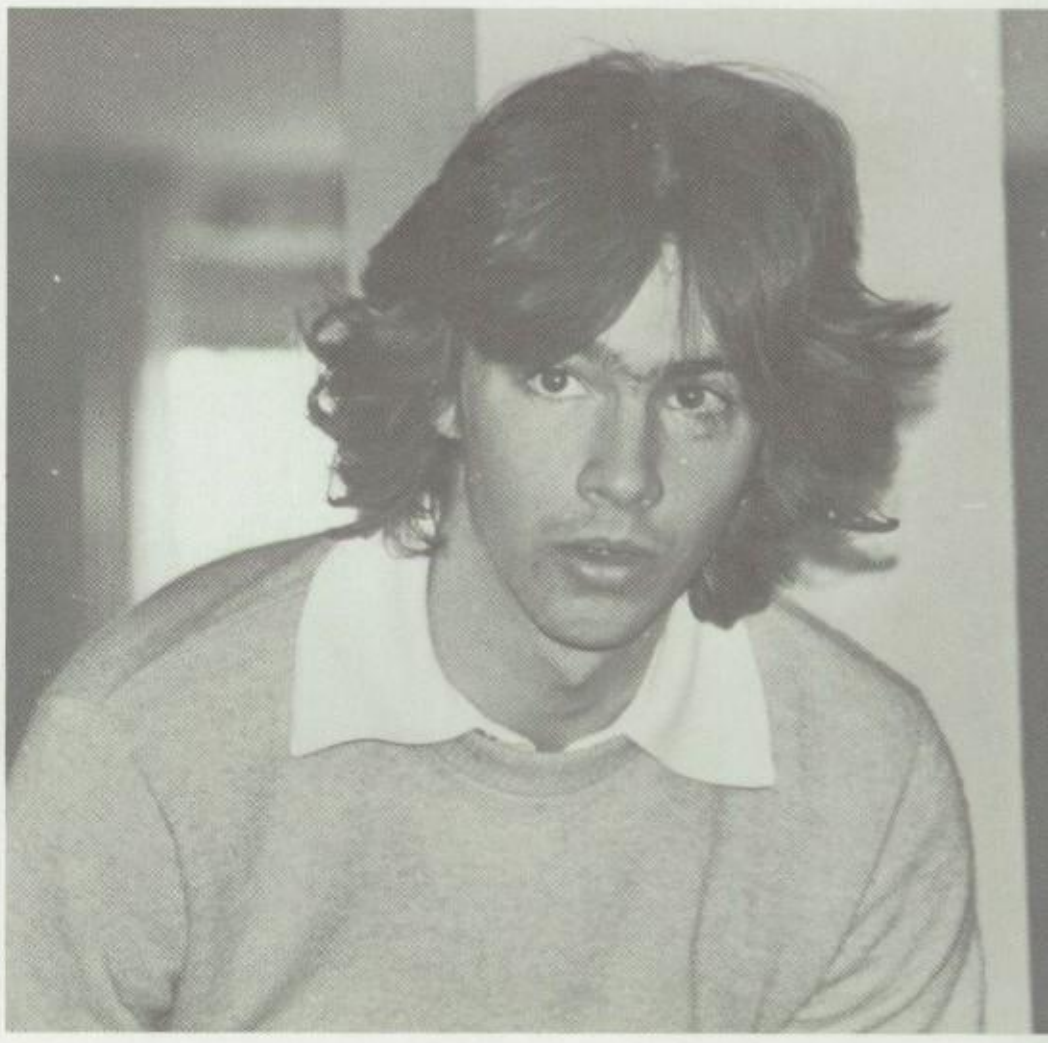

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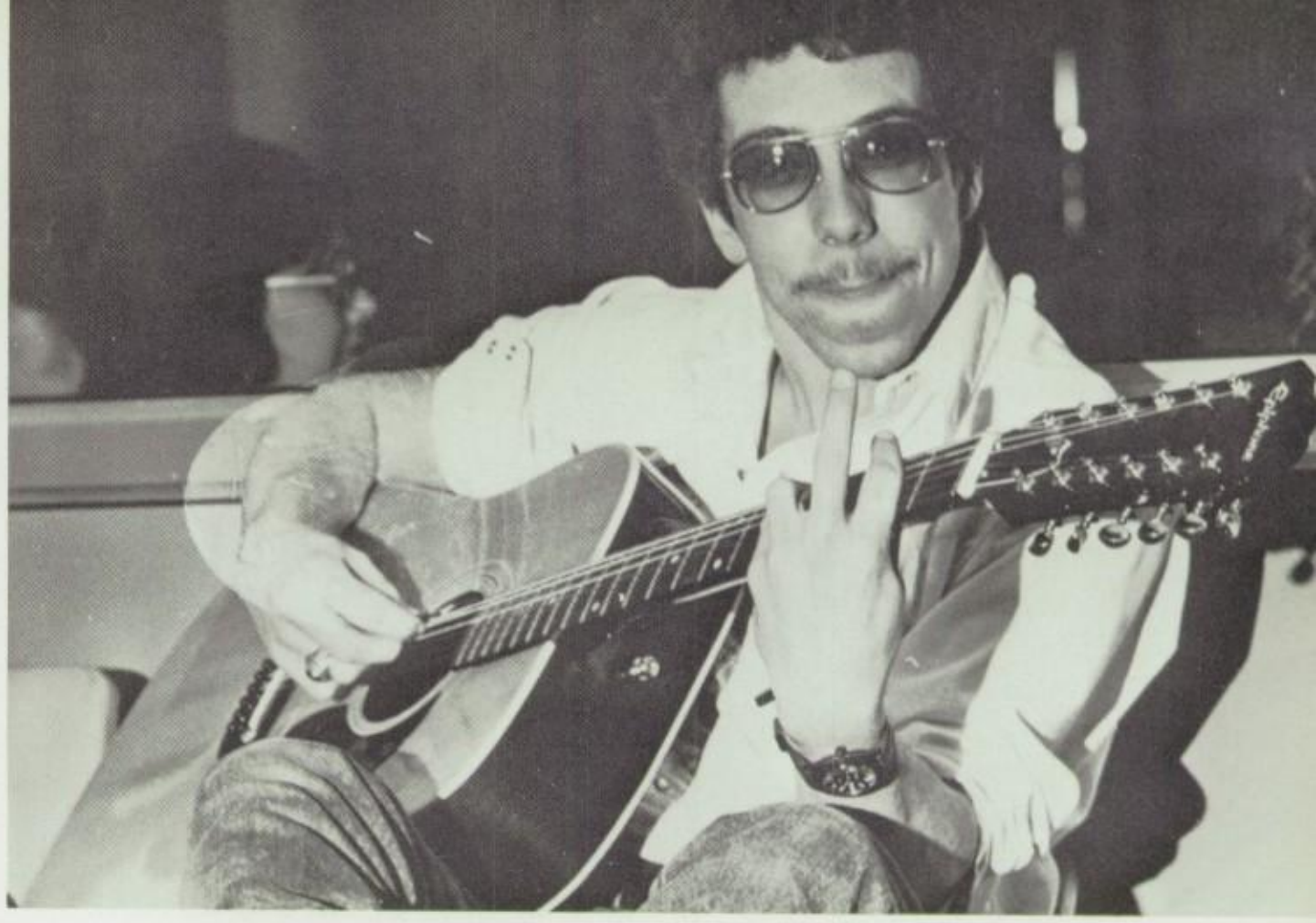

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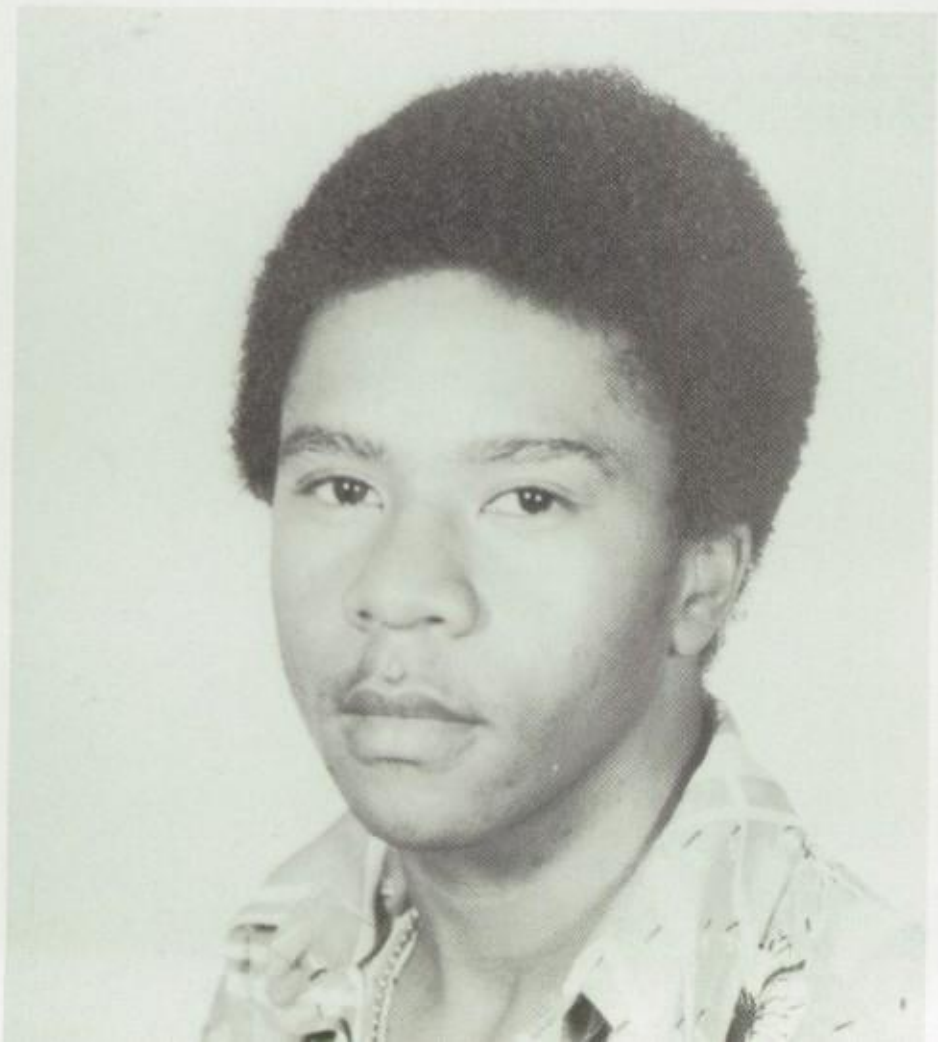

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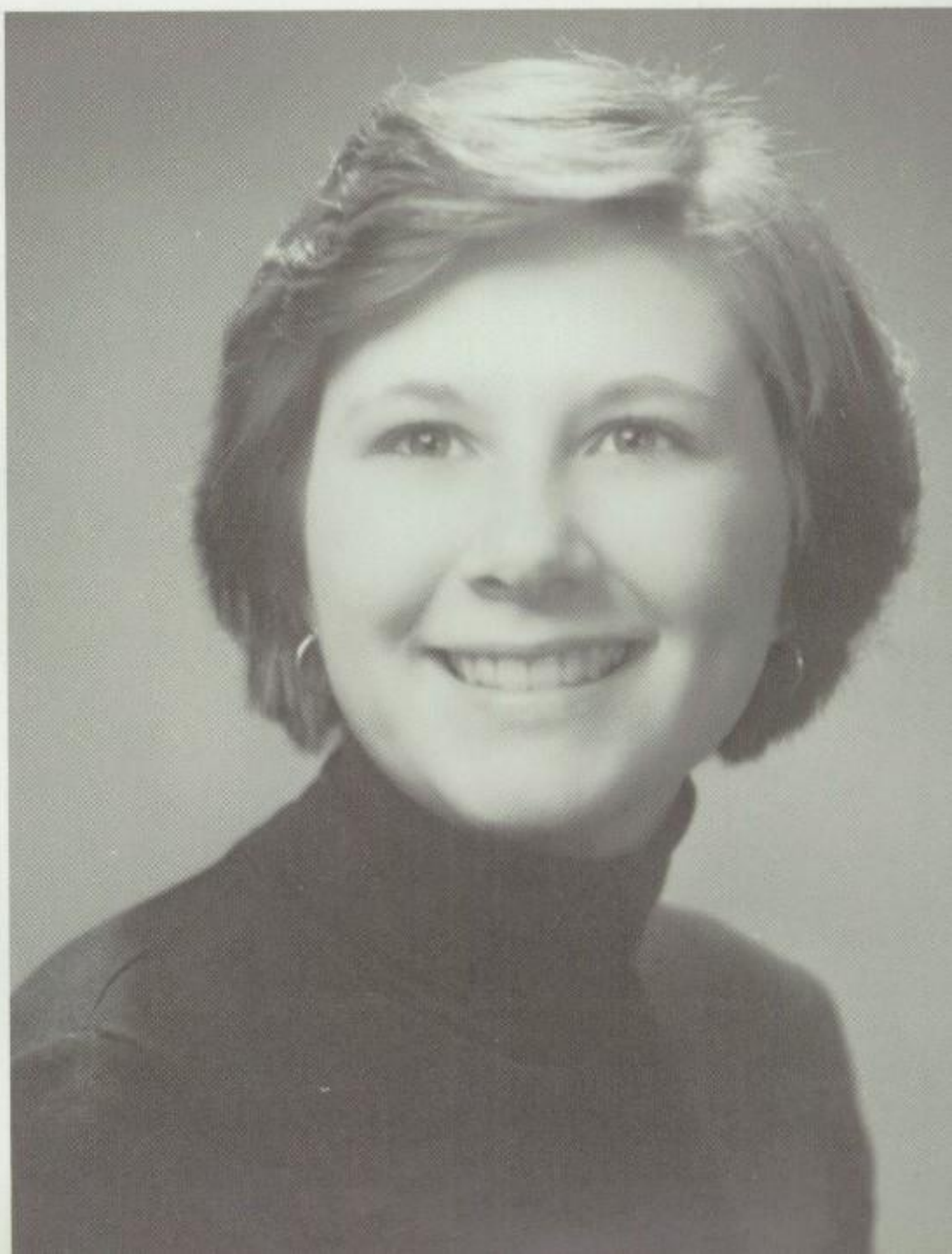

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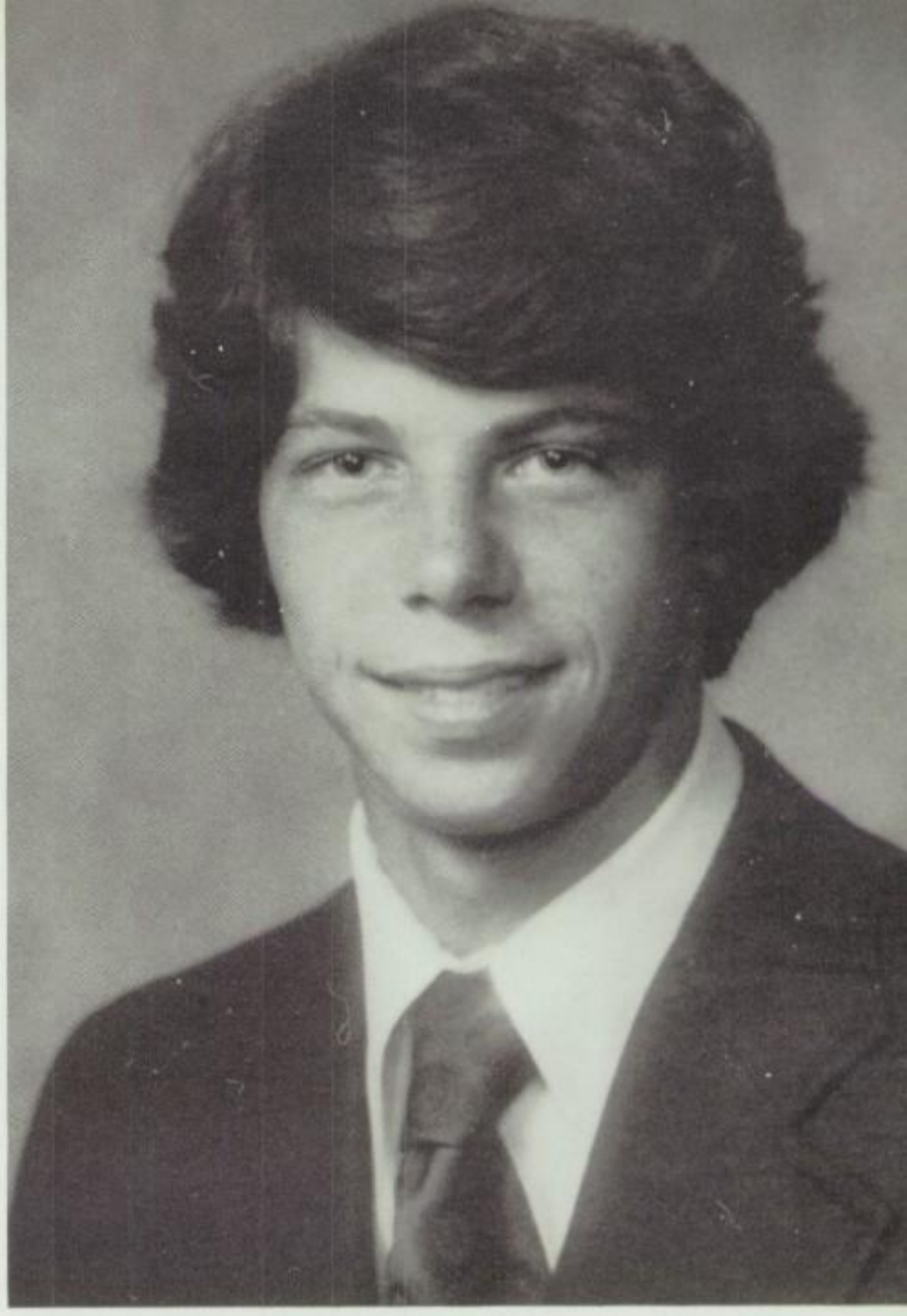

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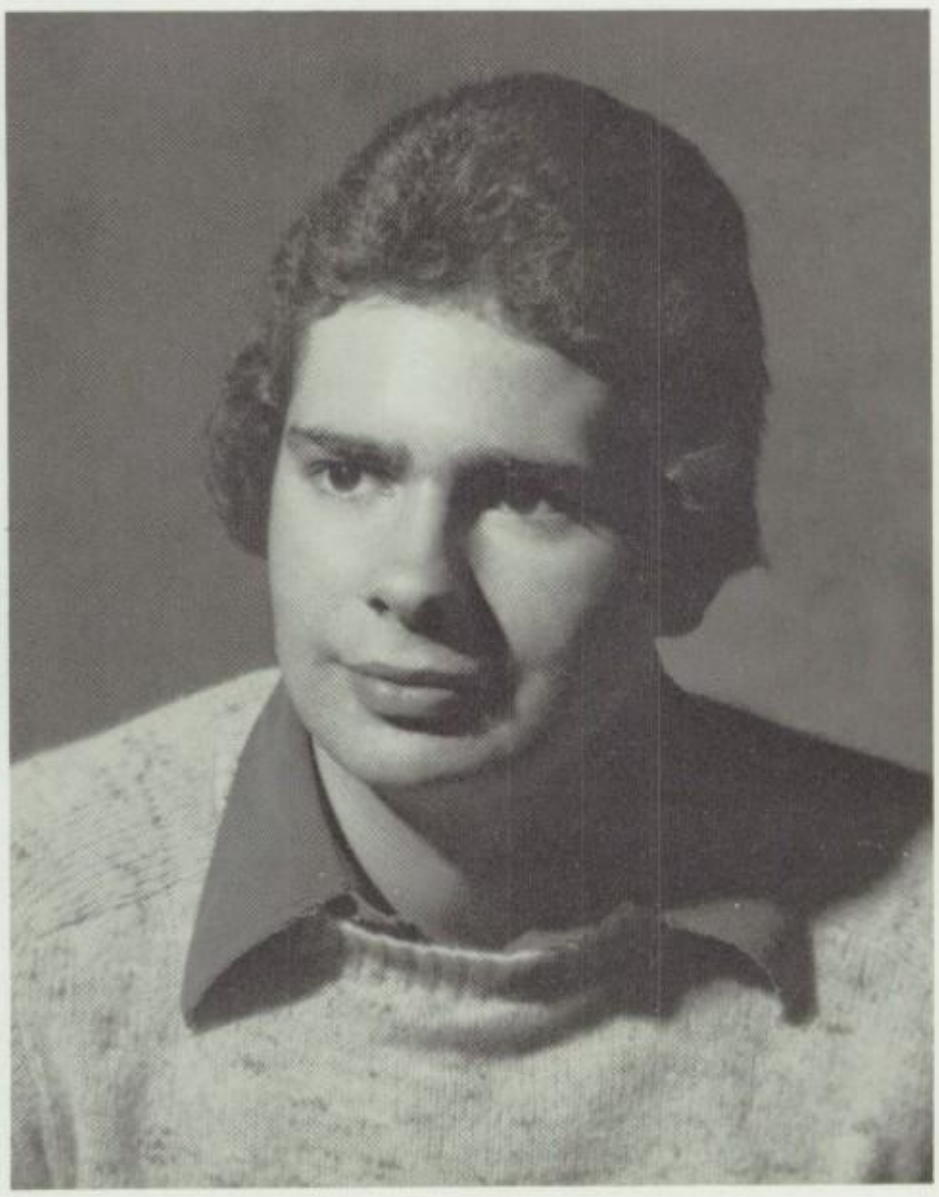

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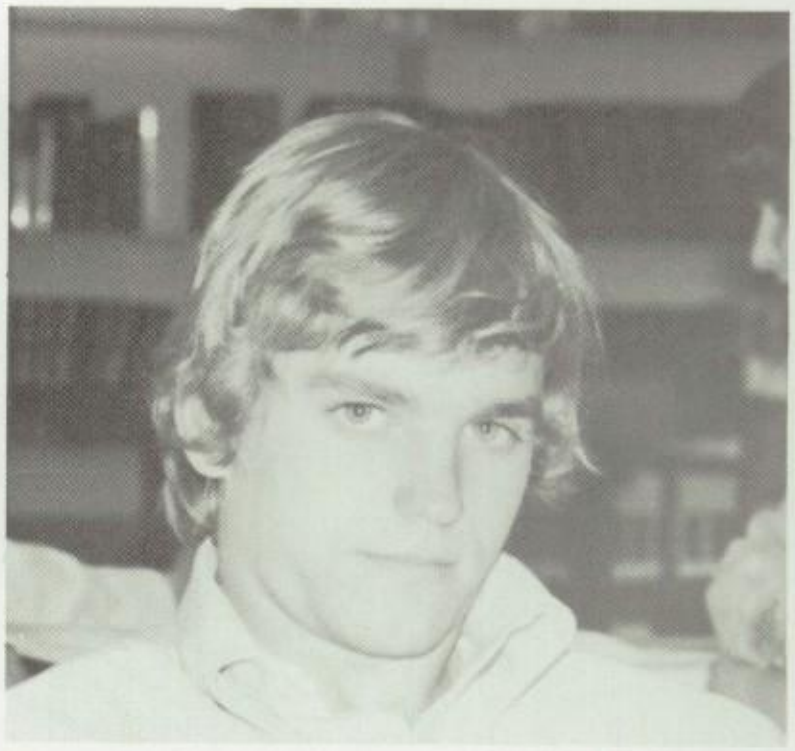

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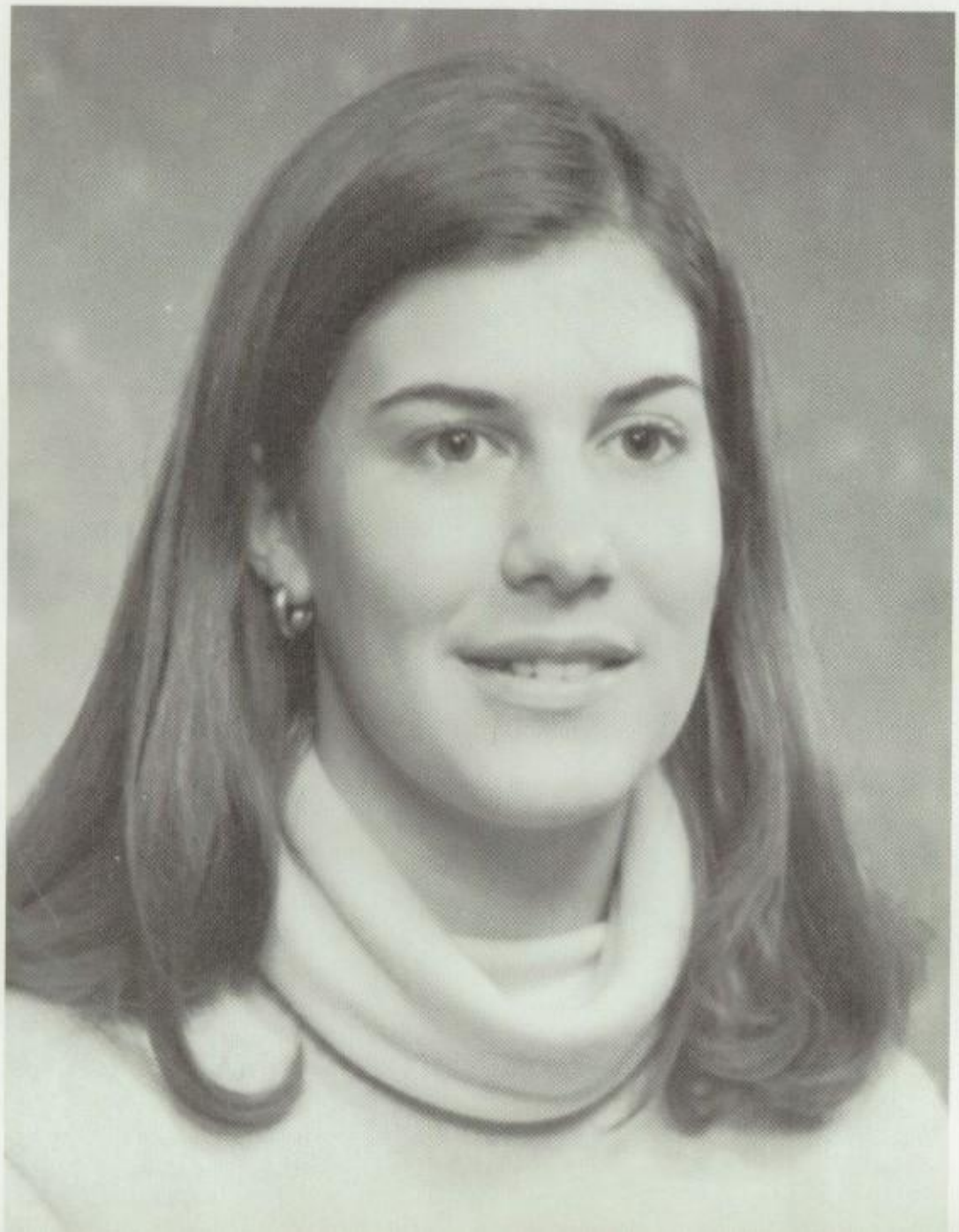

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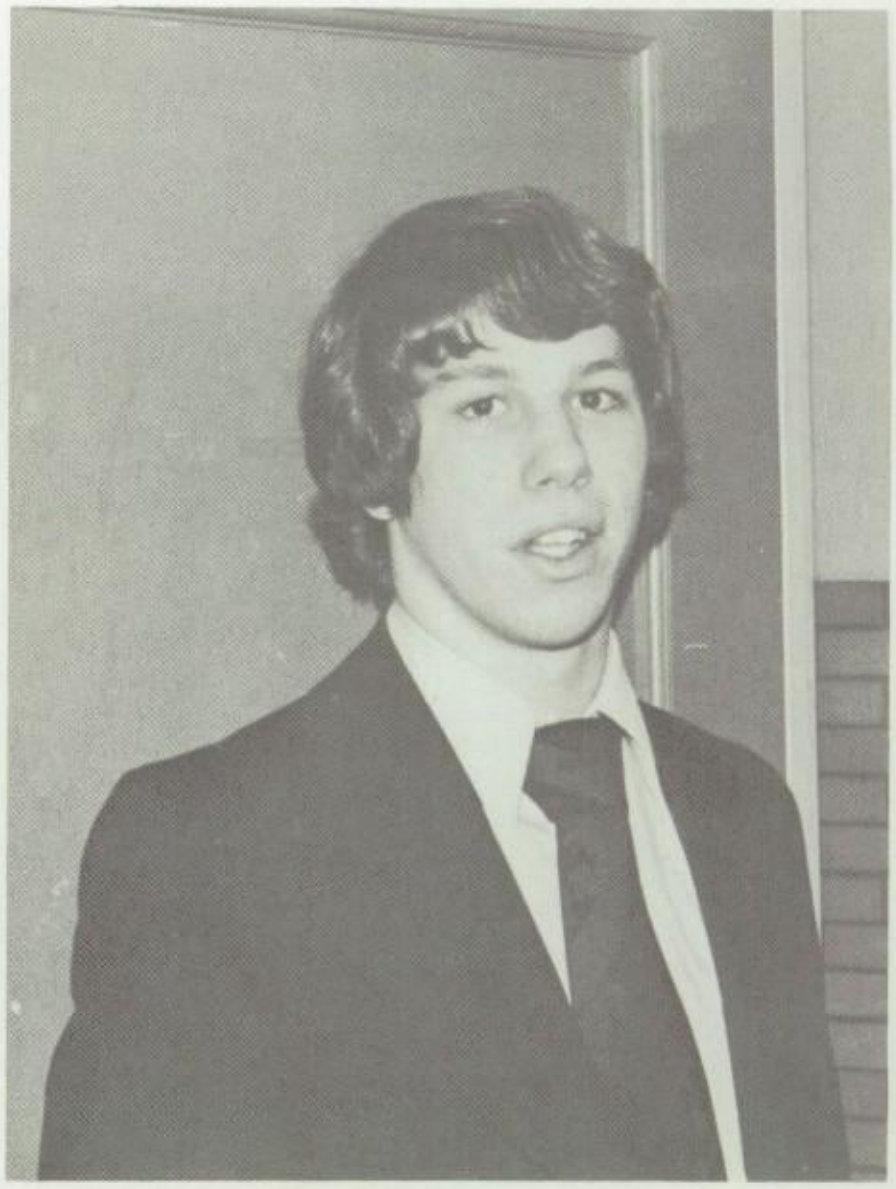

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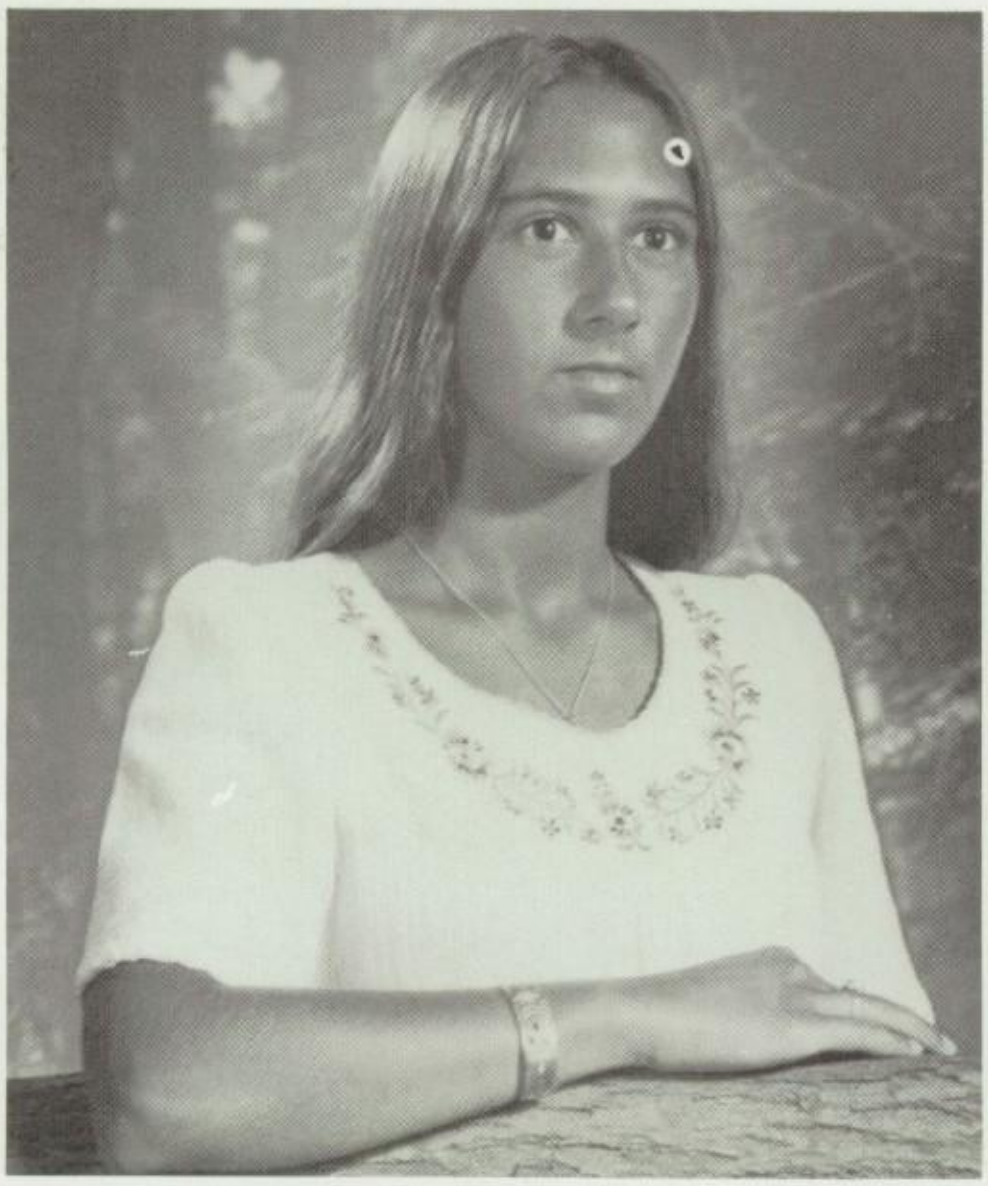

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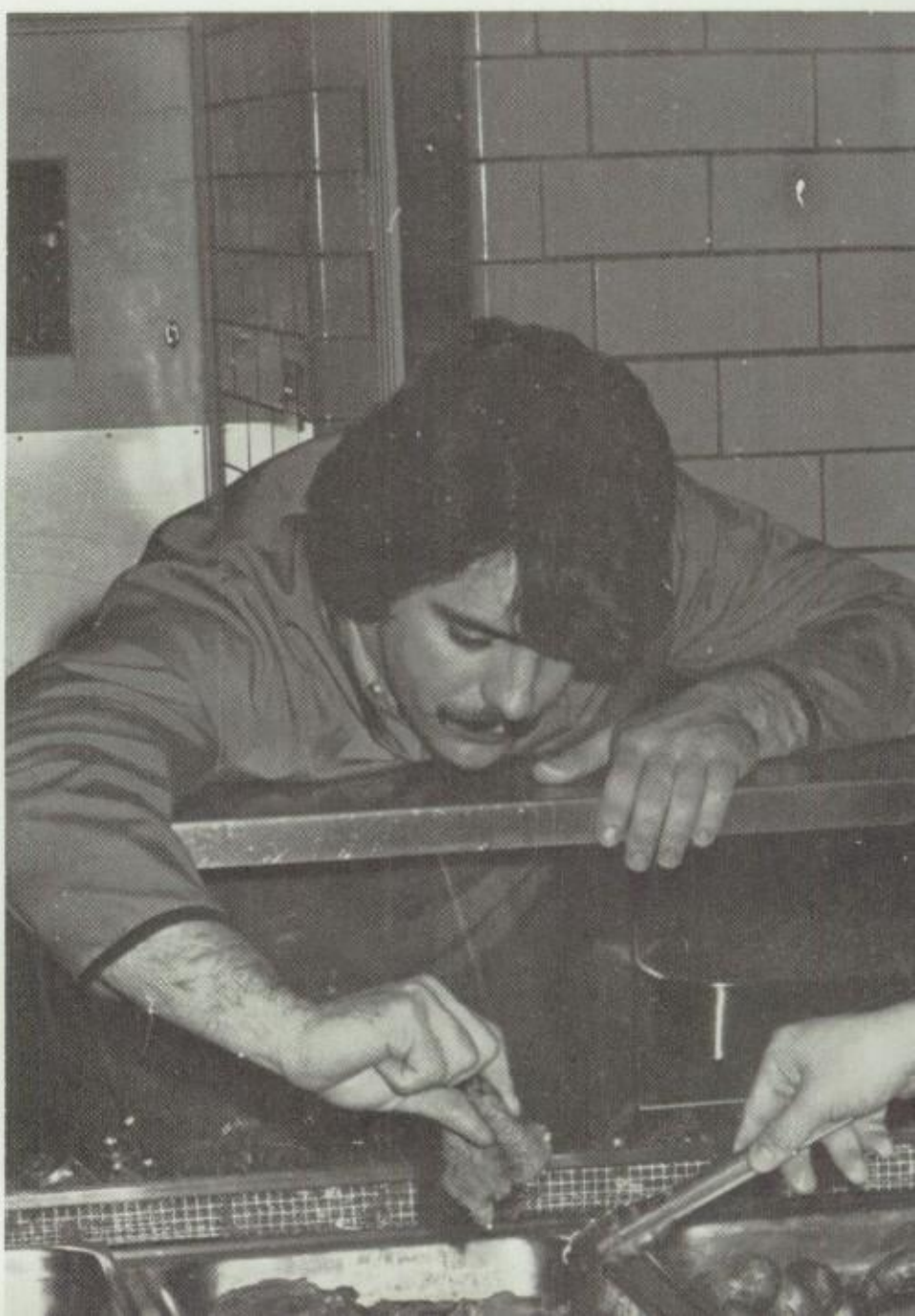

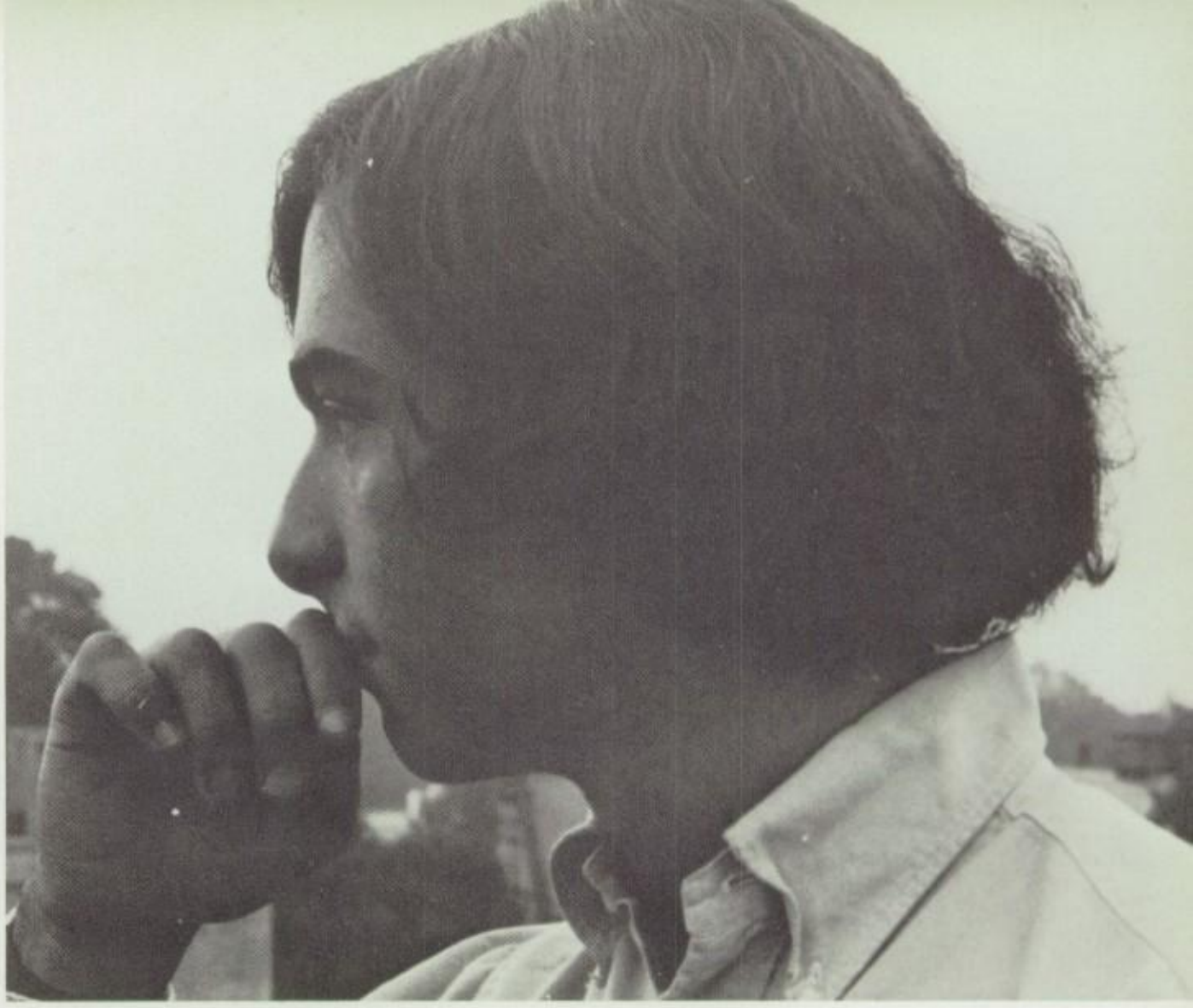

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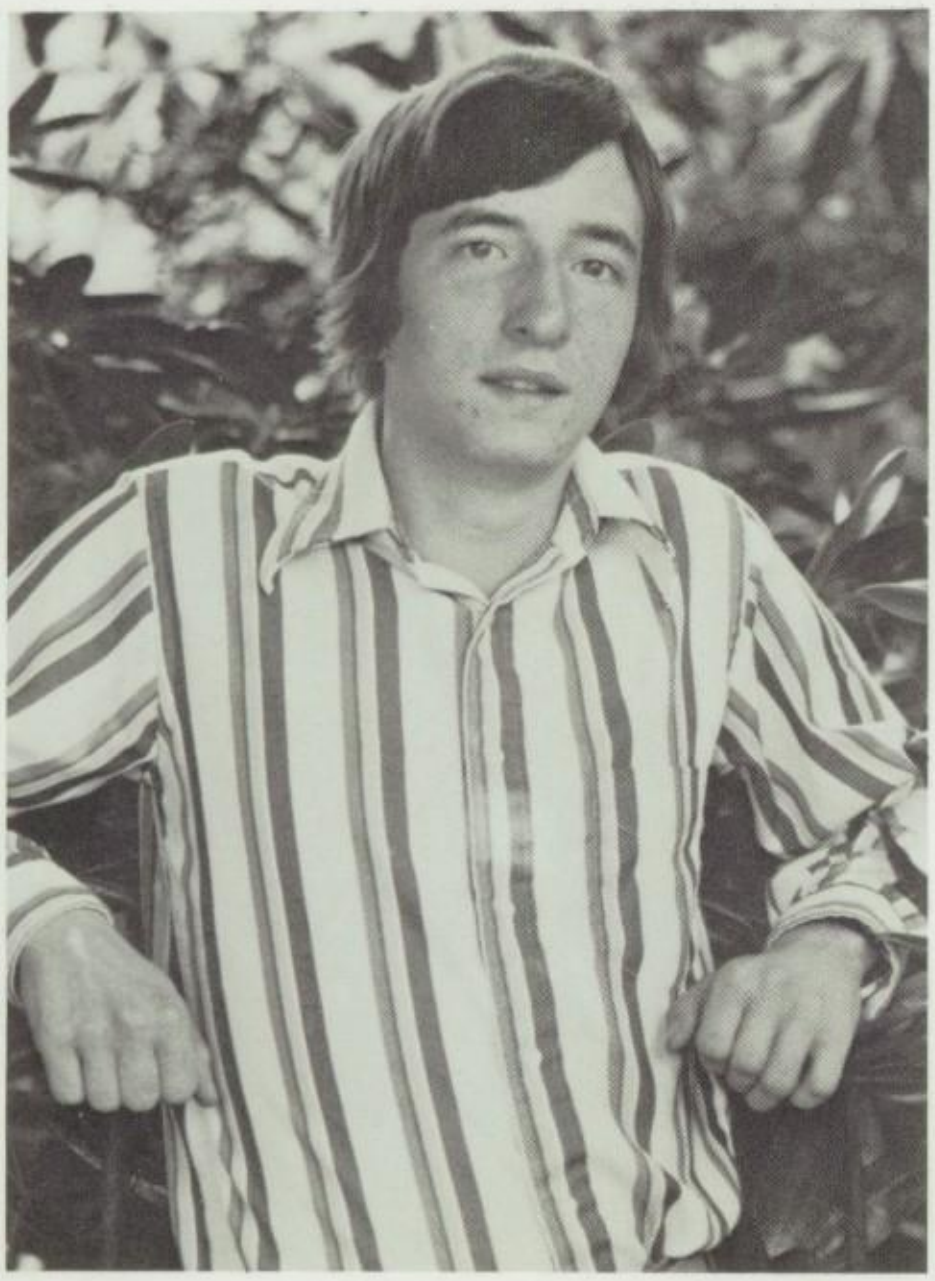

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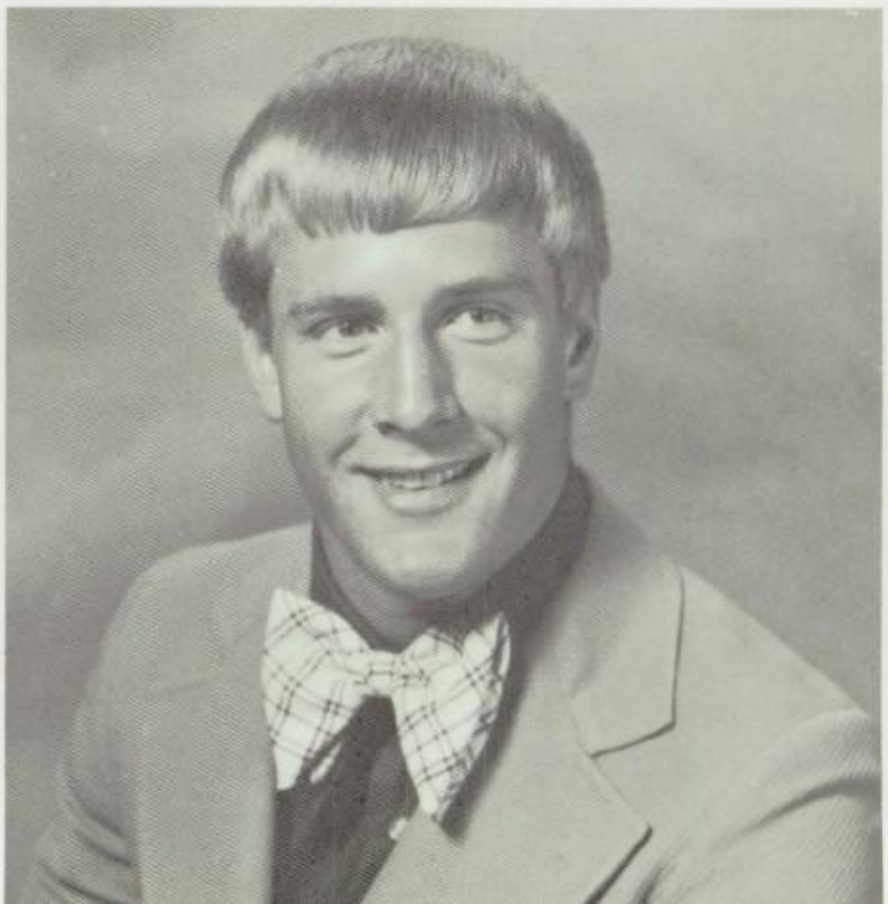

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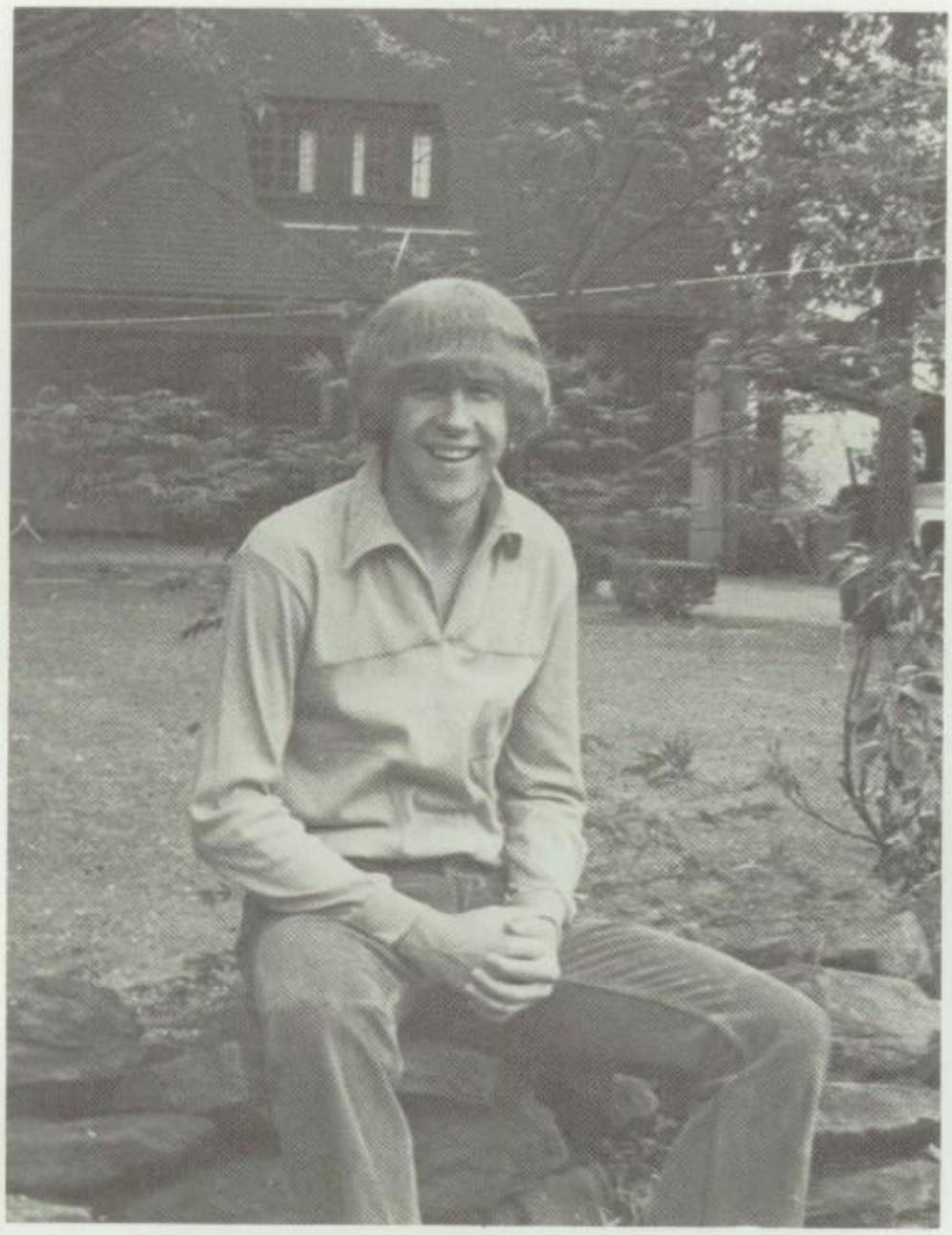

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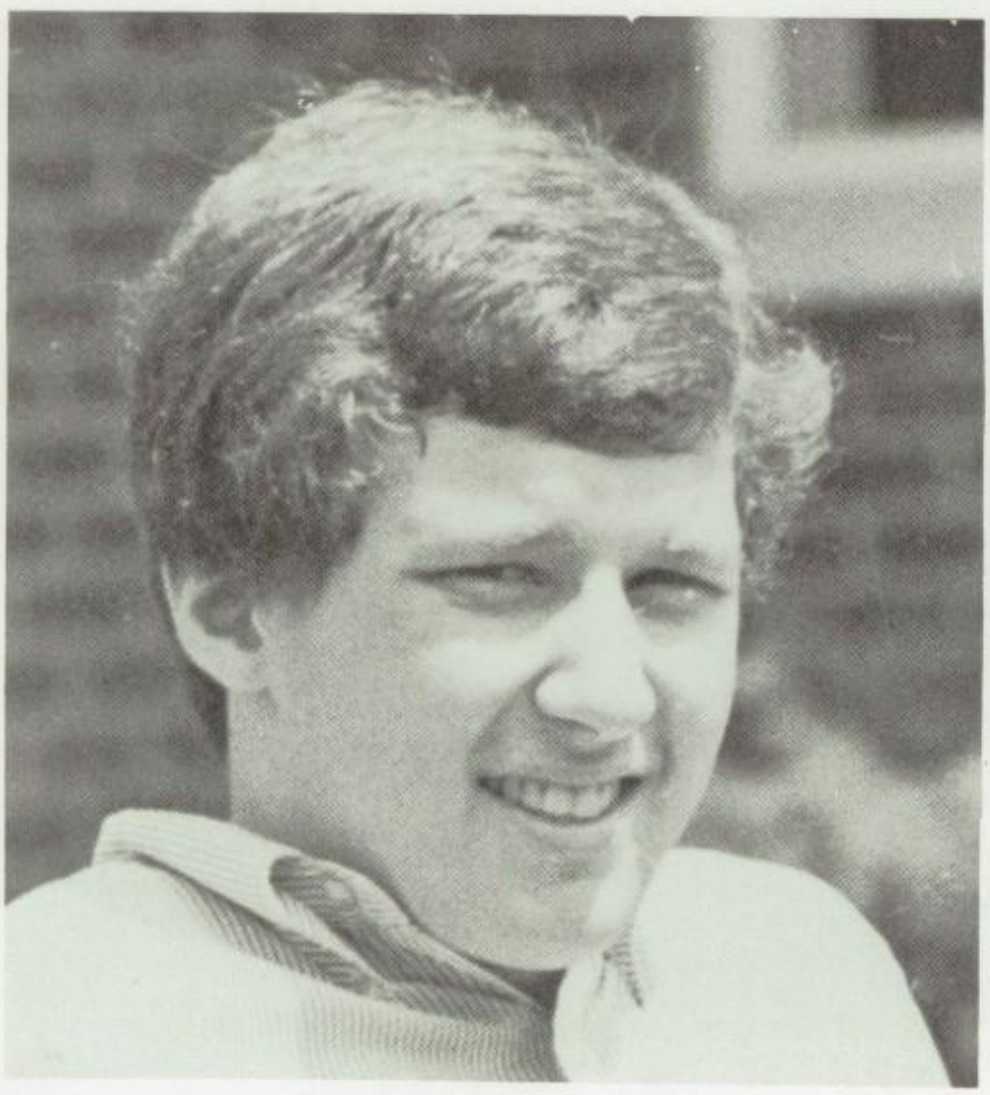

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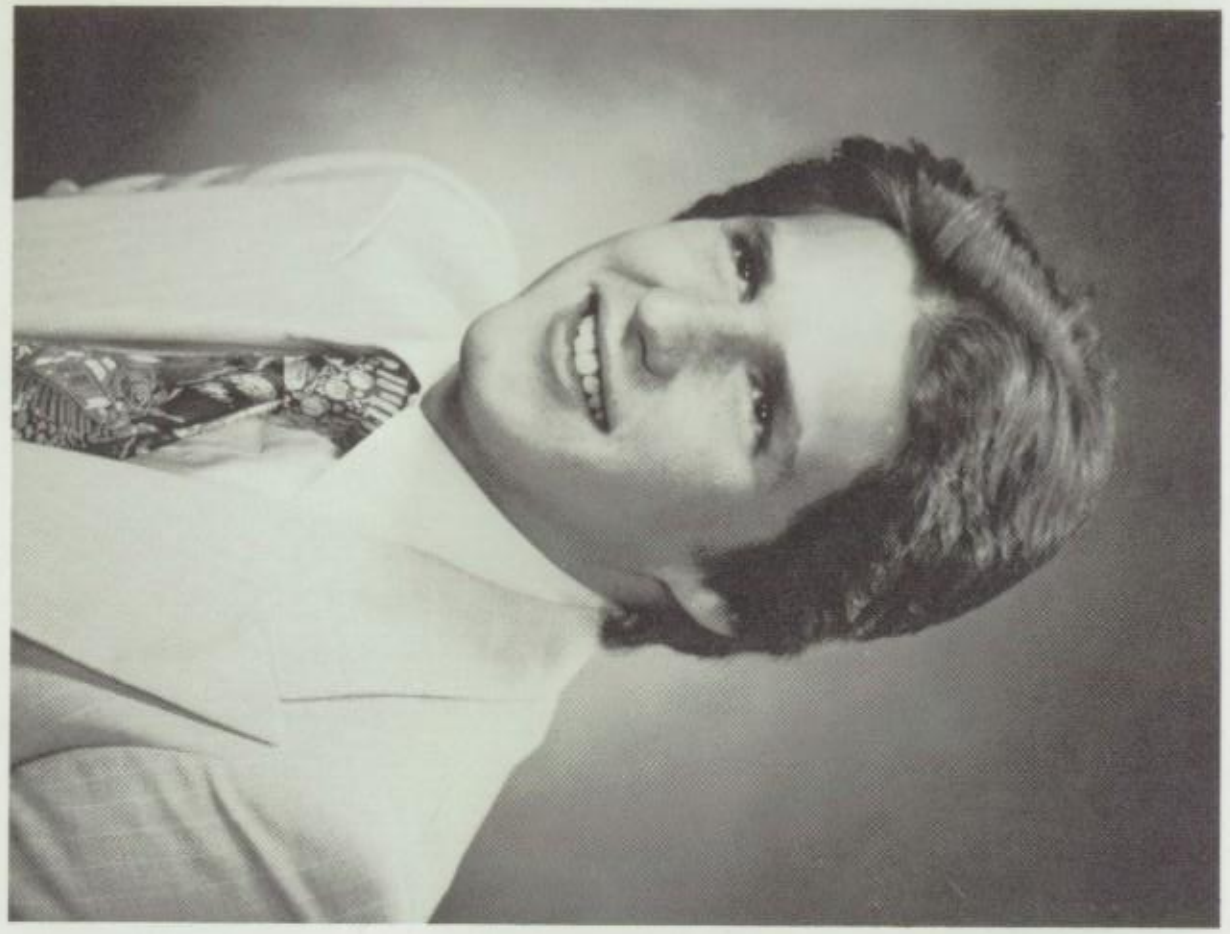

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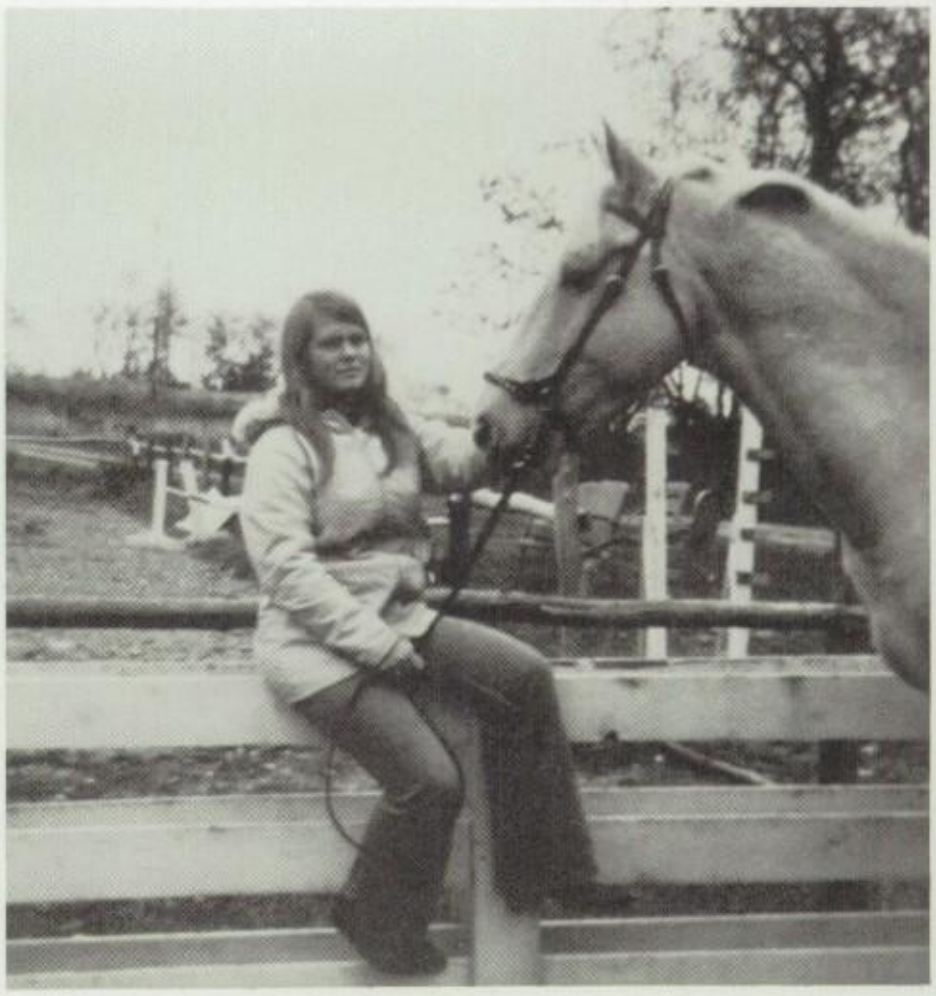

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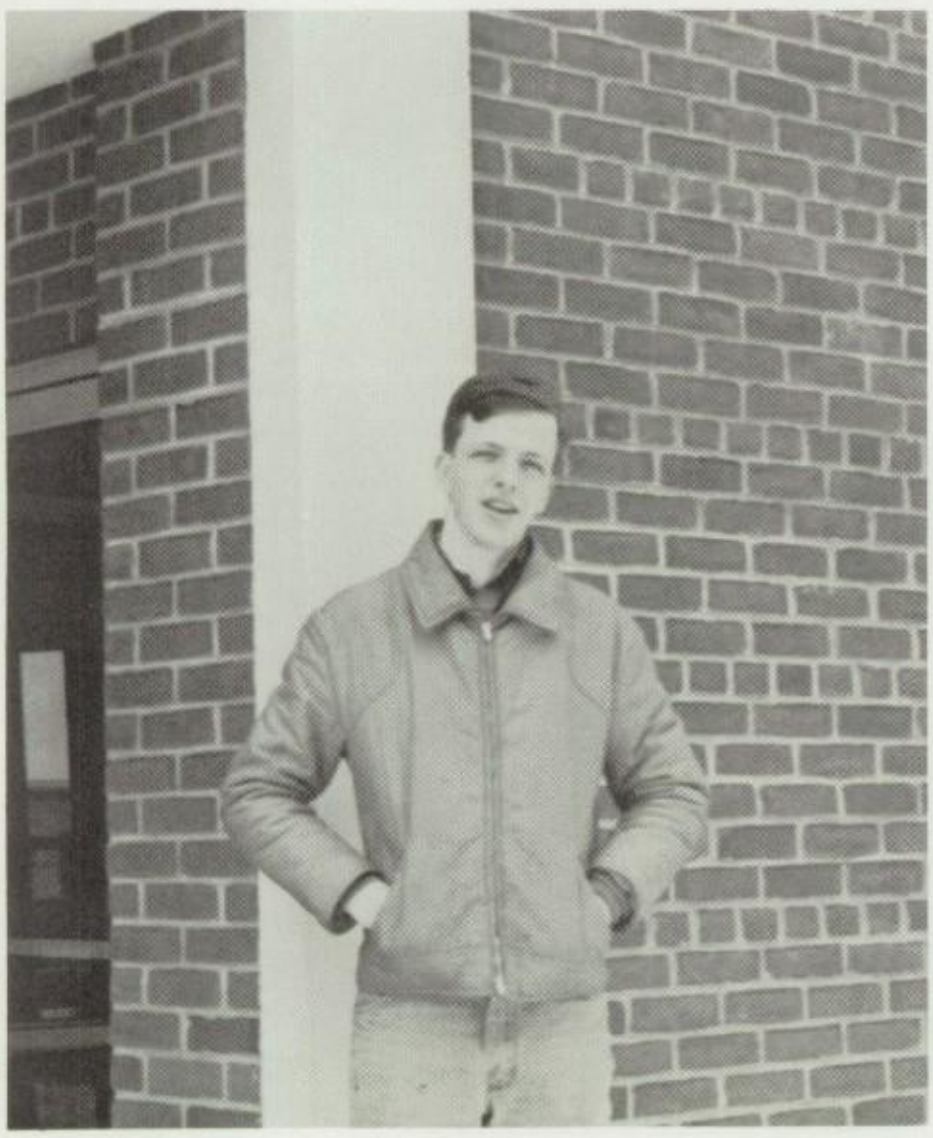

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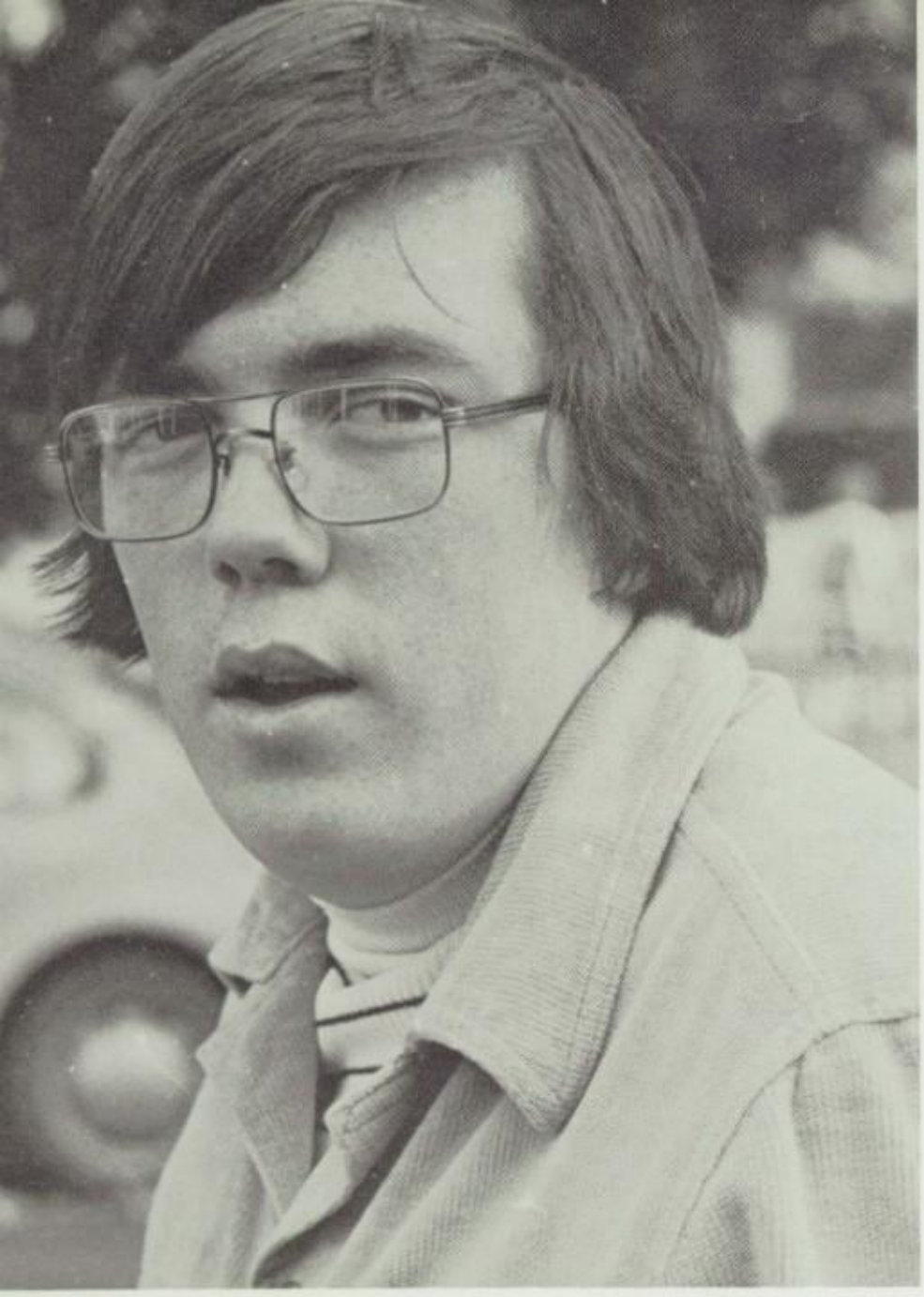

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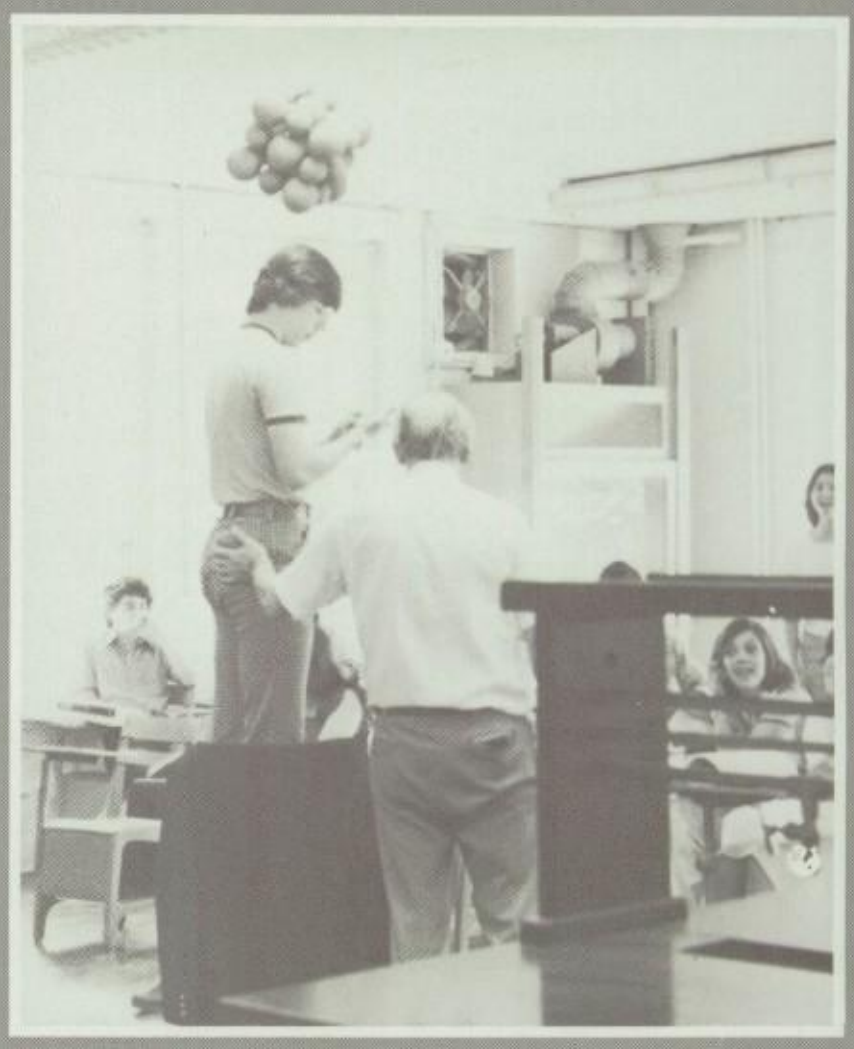

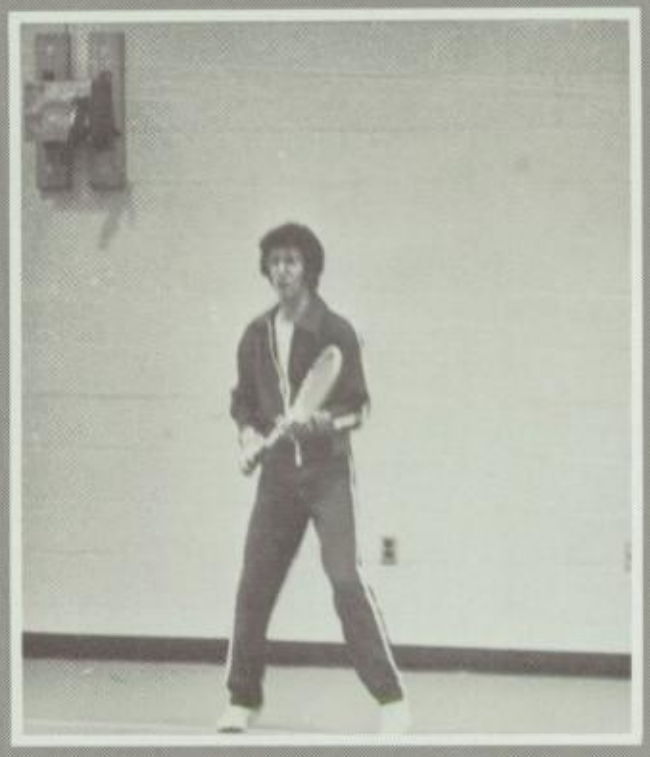

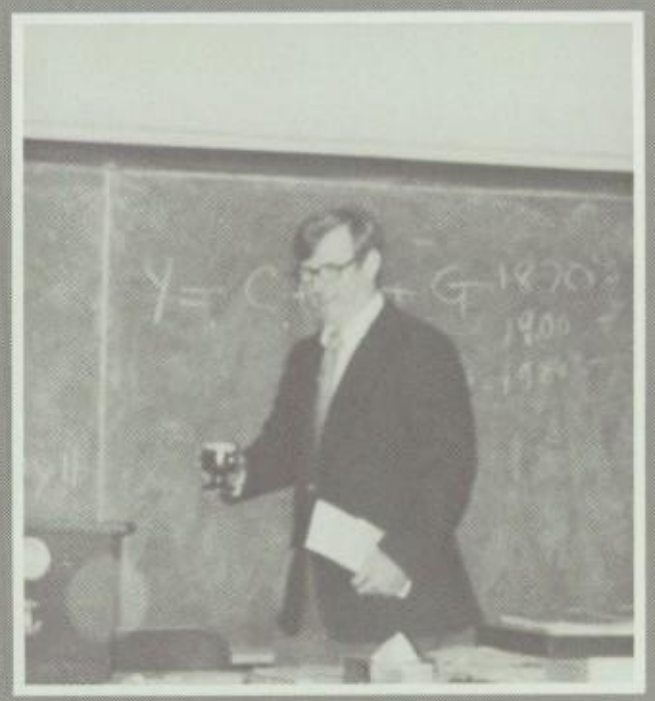

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The Spirit

From "A Tear and a Smile"
by Kahlil Gibran

And the God of gods separated a Spirit from Himself and created in it Beauty.

He gave to it the lightness of the breeze at dawn and the fragrance of the flowers of the field and the softness of moonlight.

Then He gave to it a cup of joy, saying:

"You shall not drink of it except that you forget the Past and heed not the Future."

And He gave to it a cup of sadness, saying:

"You shall drink and know therefrom the meaning of Life's rejoicing."

Then He put therein a Love that would forsake it with the first sigh of satisfaction; and a Sweetness that would go out therefrom with the first word uttered.

And he caused to descend upon it knowledge from the heavens to guide it in the way of Truth. And planted in its depths Sight, that it might see the unseen.

Therein He created Feeling to flow with images and phantom forms;

And clothed it with a garment of Yearning woven by angels from rainbow strands.

In it He did put the darkness of Confusion, which is Light's image.

And the God took Fire from Wrath's furnace, and a Wind from the desert of Ignorance, and Sand from the seashore of Selfishness, and Earth from beneath the feet of the ages, and He created man.

He gave to him unseeing Force to rise up in fury with madness and subside before lust.

And the God of gods smiled and wept and knew a Love boundless and without limit, and He mated Man with his Spirit.

Sit back and look at the last four years in retrospect.

Despite all the buzz and twitter in the restrooms (about such miscellany as starvation, trench warfare, social injustice, vectors, nursing homes, abortion, last Saturday's date, or lead base paint), Wyoming Seminary has offered to many of us the most moving and meaningful experiences of our young lives so far. Occassions like Skip Day, the Car Wash, and the Prom are only a part of it, for they are celebrations of the spirit of our class: we have made some of the firmest bonds of friendship that we'll ever make.

Whether we've known each other since Day School, or gotten together only after Spring Vacation, we'll remember most vividly the love we felt for one another that last few weeks of school. We'll long remember how and who we were, and with whom we spent our time. We'll remember Dewey on the Chapel Tower steps with his guitar, and Bert's graduation party, and a hundred other special, special times we spent together. And we'll keep in touch—we'll call and write, and when we're home for vacations we'll get together. I know I am not alone in feeling a part of a whole, the class of Seven and Seven.

Fathers and teachers, I ponder, "What is Hell?" I maintain that it is the suffering of being unable to love.

—Dostoevski

Senior Class Poll

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Typical Seminarian
Dave Piccone Gigi Lopatto
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Mr. Flick Mrs. Levy
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Jon Davis Judy Iscovitz
Most Sophisticated
Sam Edgar Nina Slomowitz
Best Athlete
Jon Hallingstad Nancie Norris
Most Sincere
Tim Moran Bert Torony
Class Flirt
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Lyle Myers Jannell Decker
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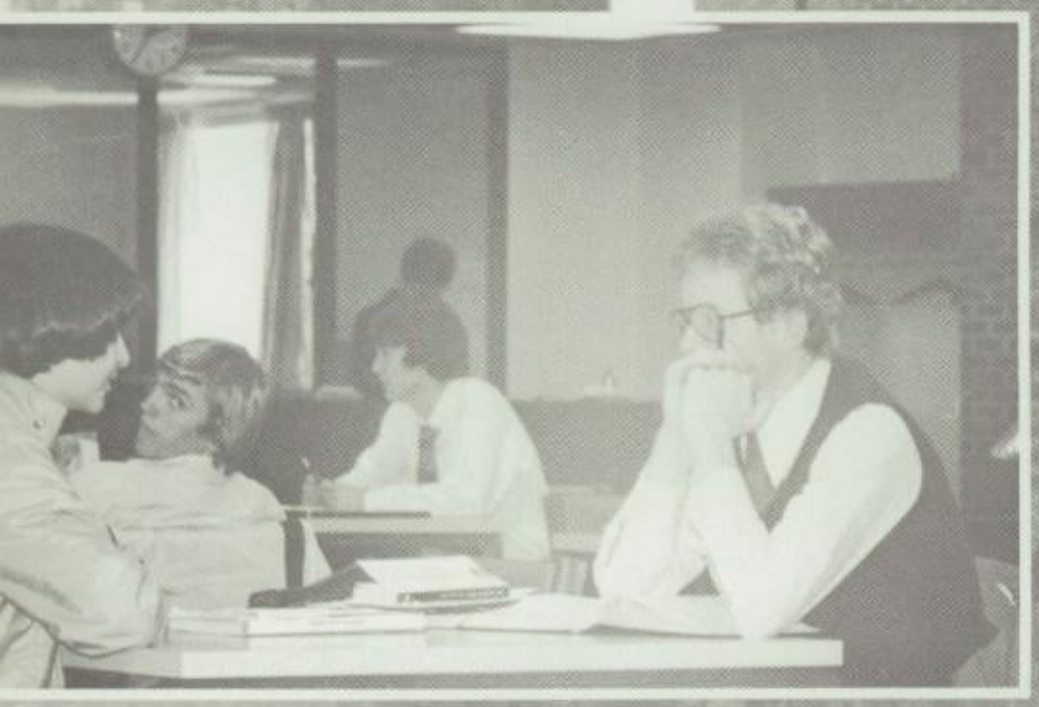

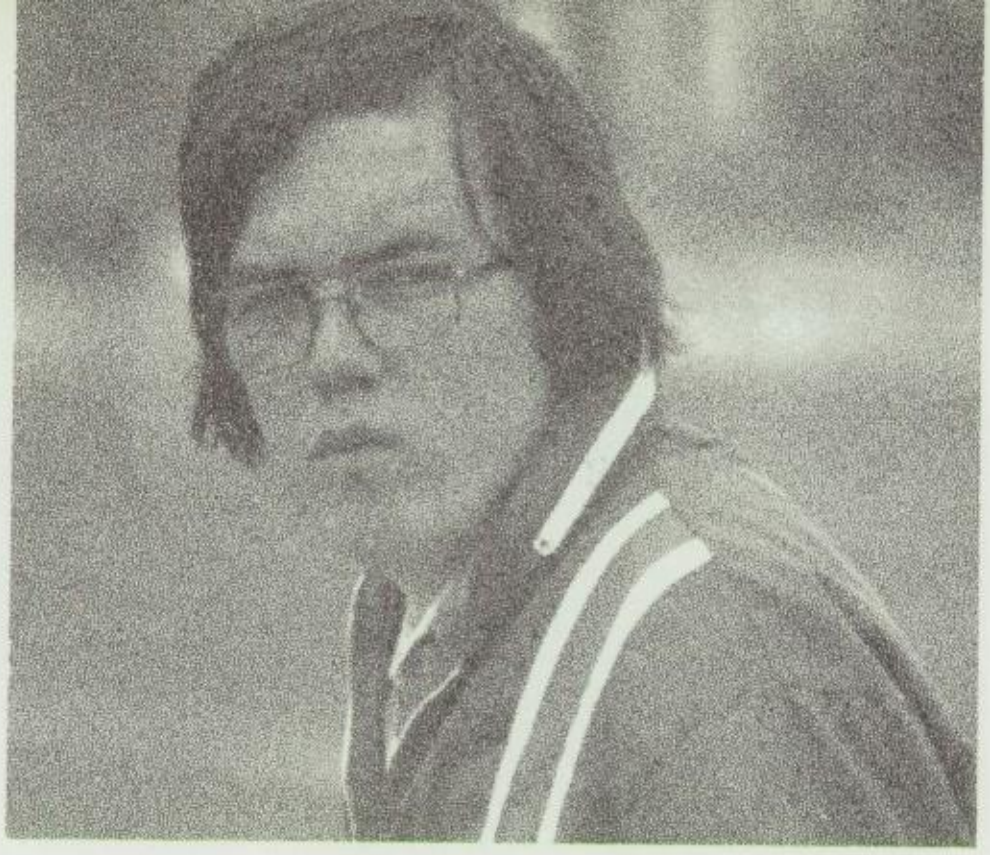

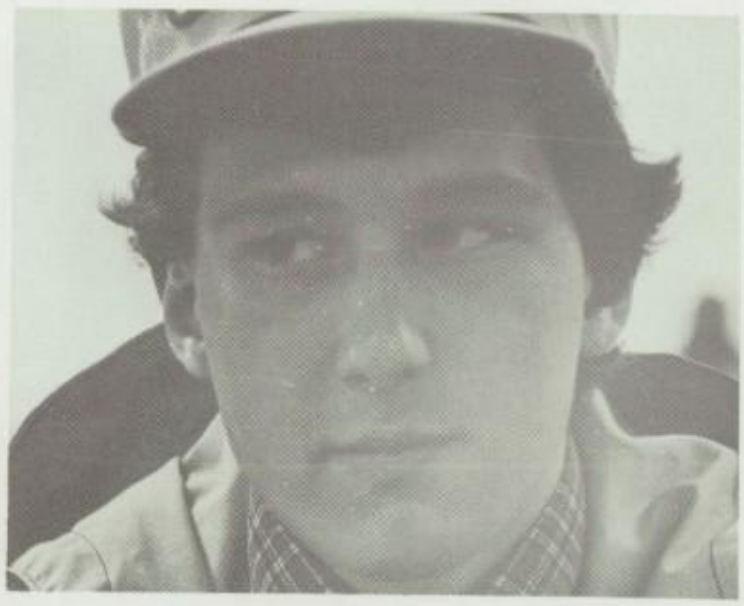

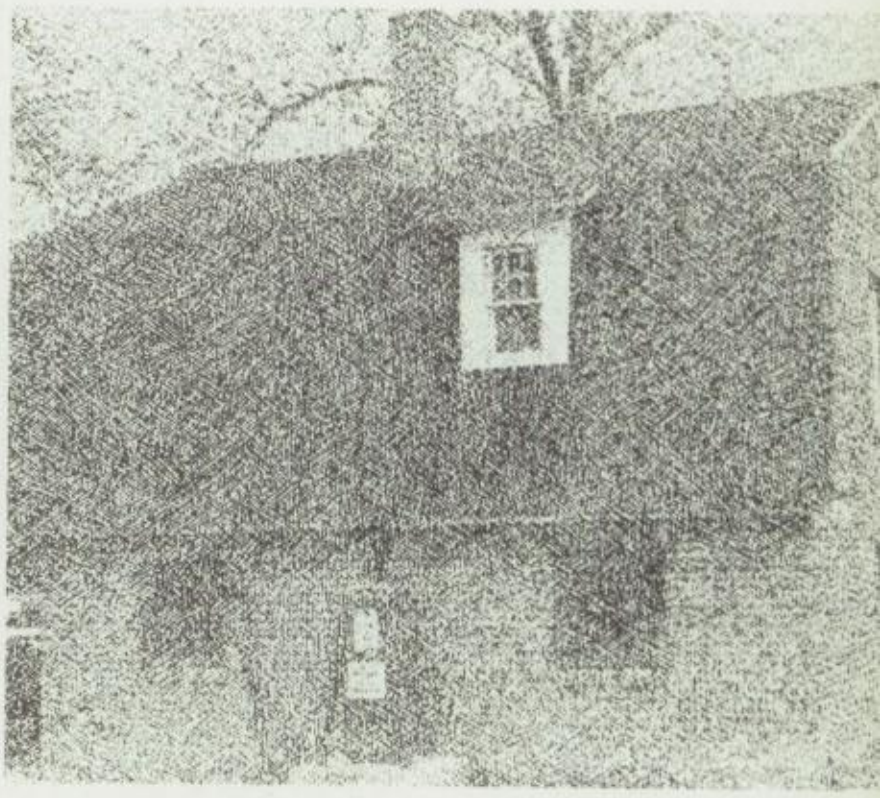

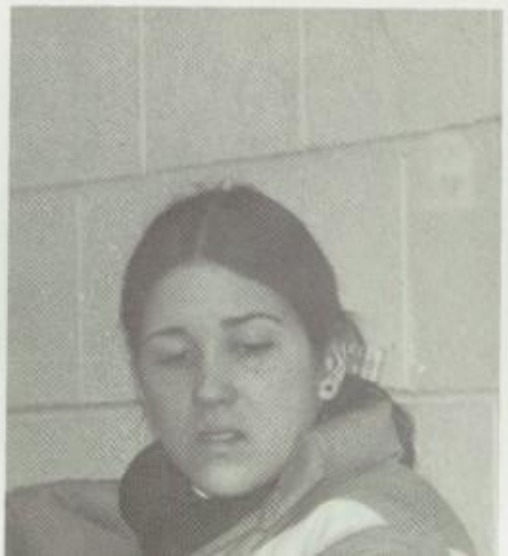

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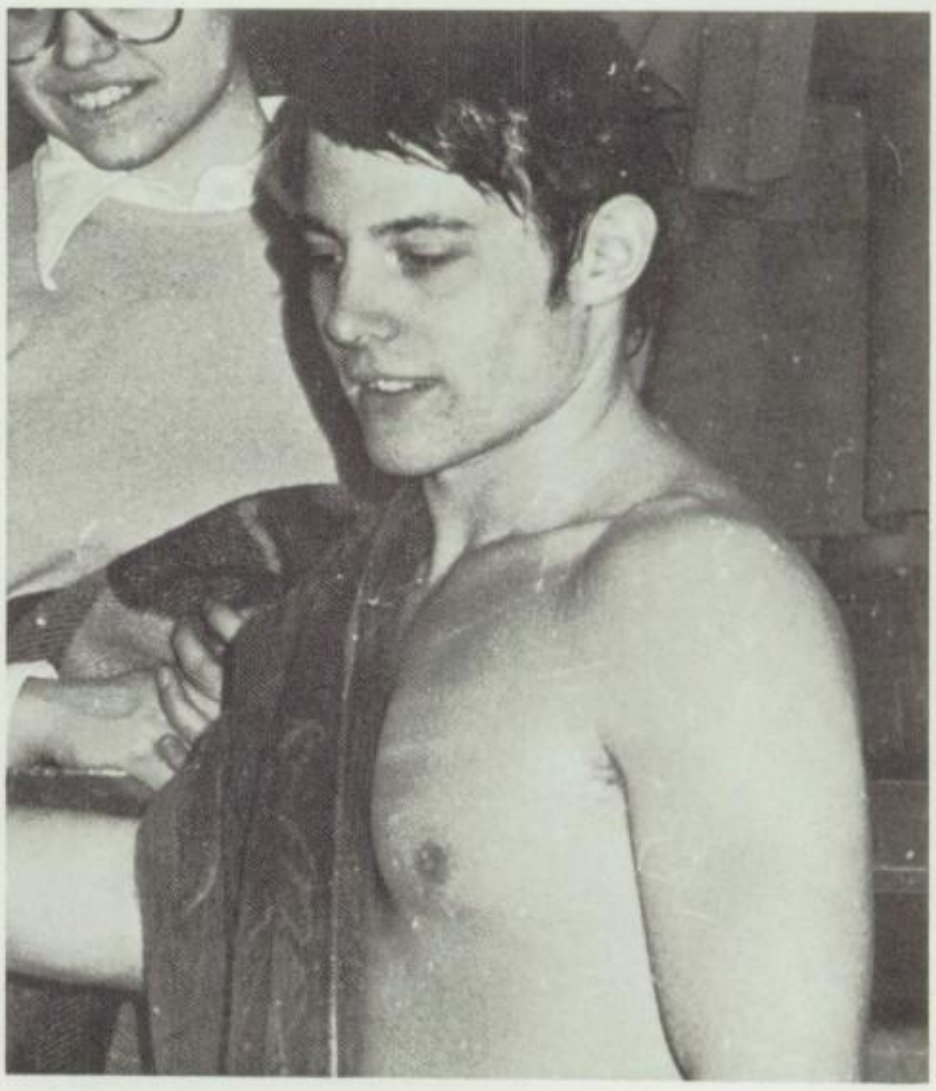

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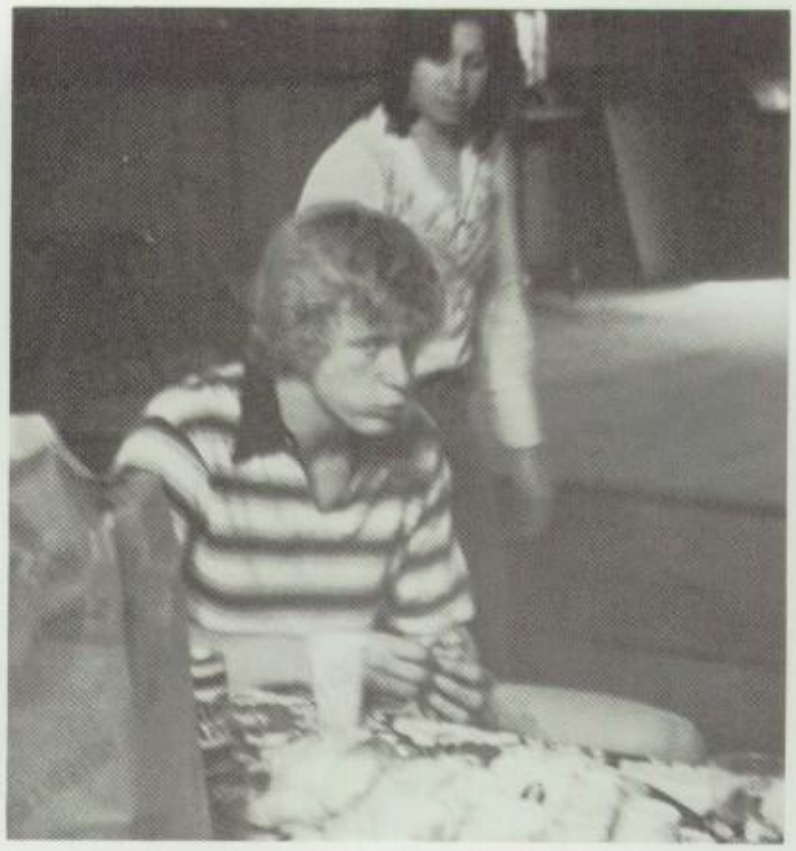
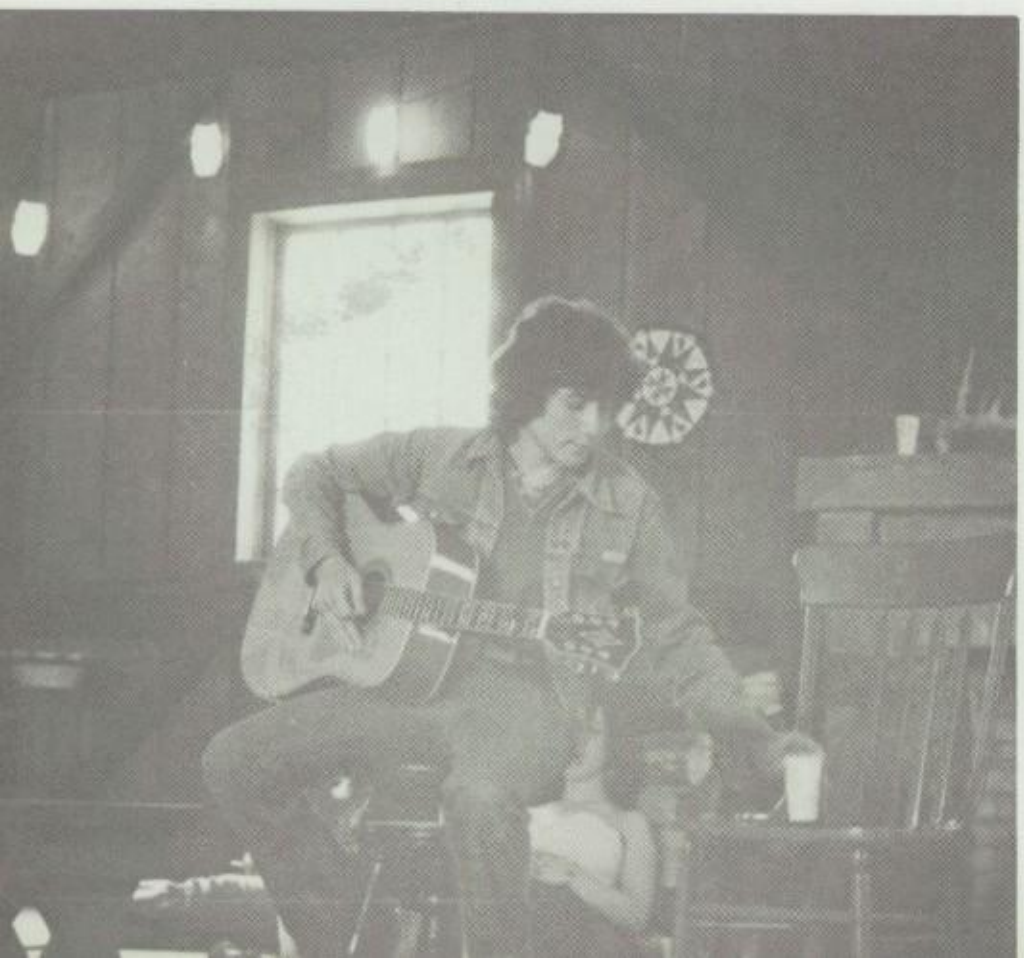
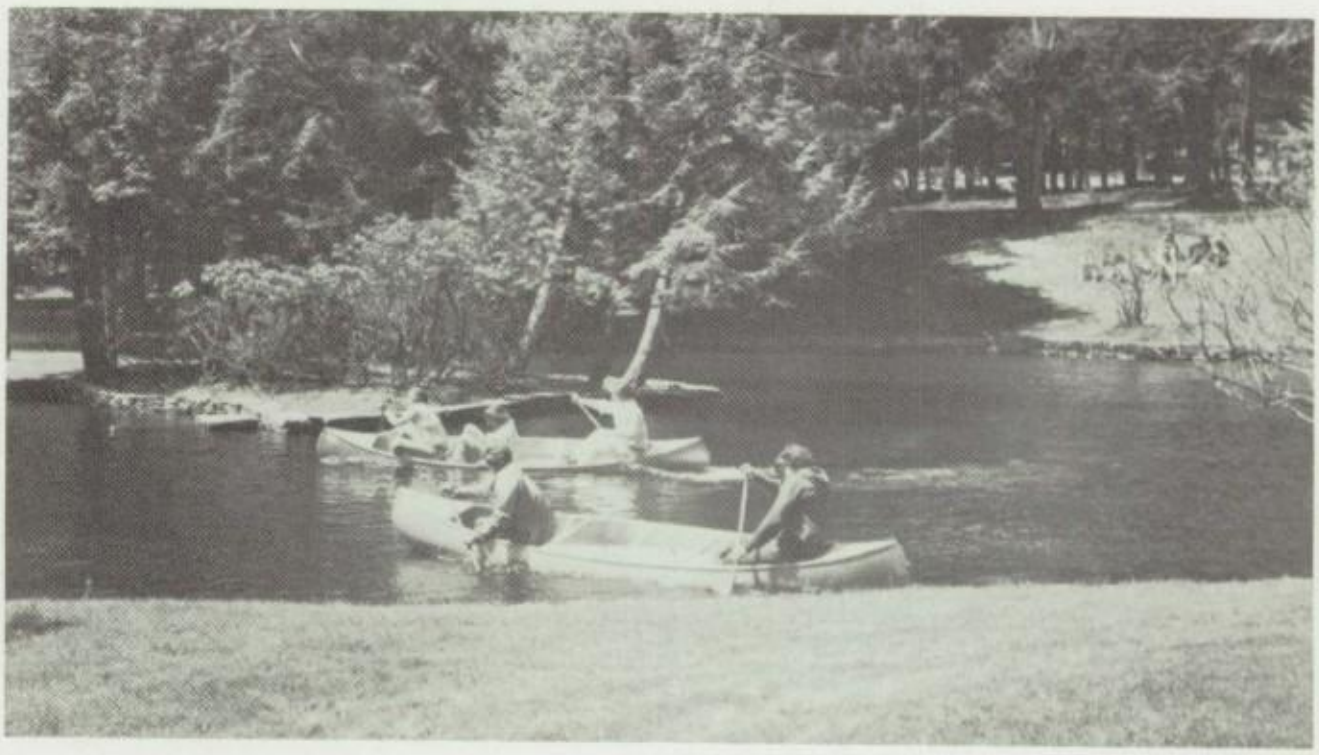




In this world there
are only two tragedies.
One is not getting
what one wants, and
the other is getting it.
—Oscar Wilde



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We draw ever closer to our goal . . .

If God had wanted there to be chain letters, he would've sent the Ten Commandents to twenty of his best friends.

I also wish to thank all the creative people who have contributed their time and talent to the furtherment and completion of this yearbook. Yes.

You who think you know everything are truly bothersome to those of us who do.

I wish to take the present opportunity to apologize for anything missing or out of place in this yearbook.

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. . . but Moses invests.

A familiar sight . . .

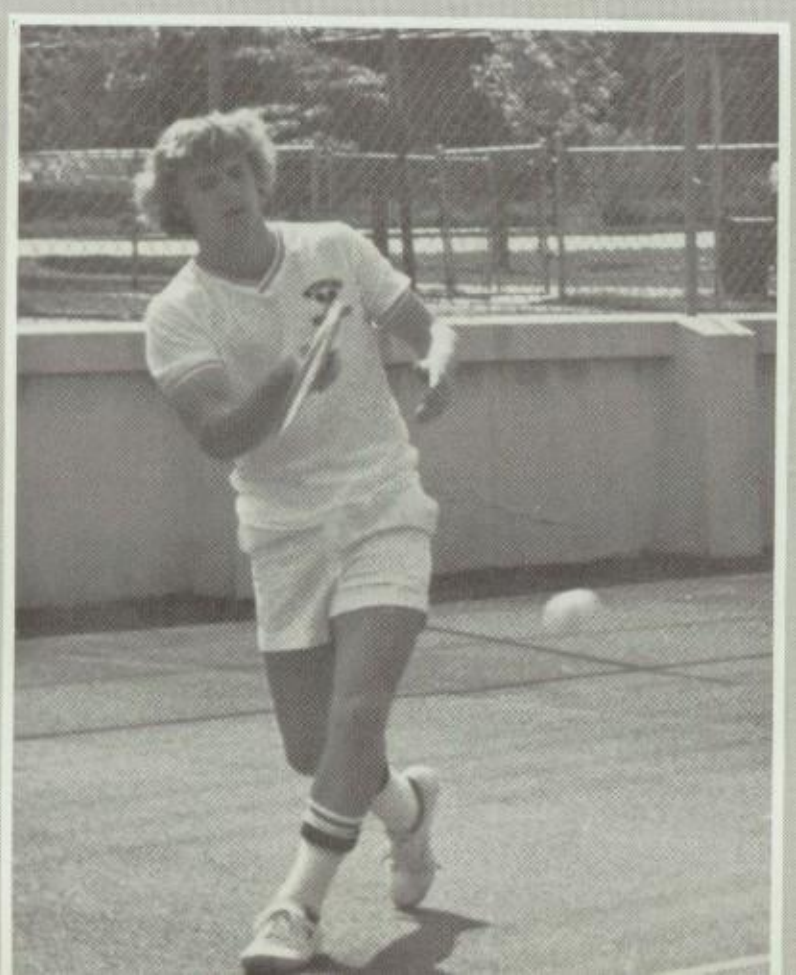
Read This!

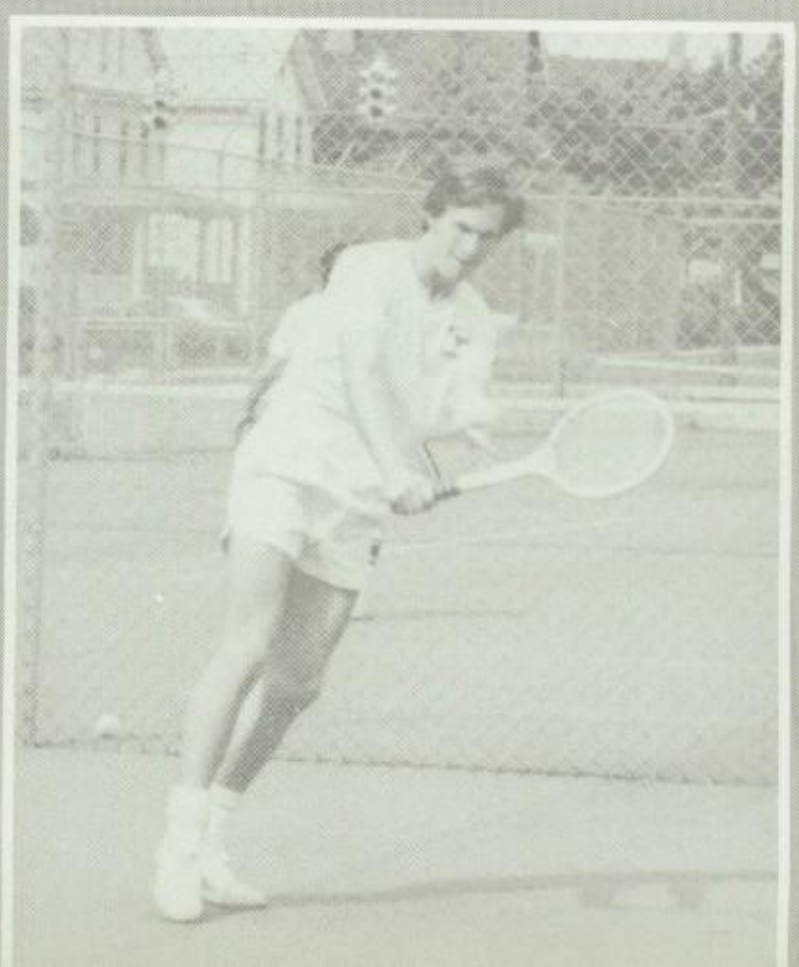
Editorial

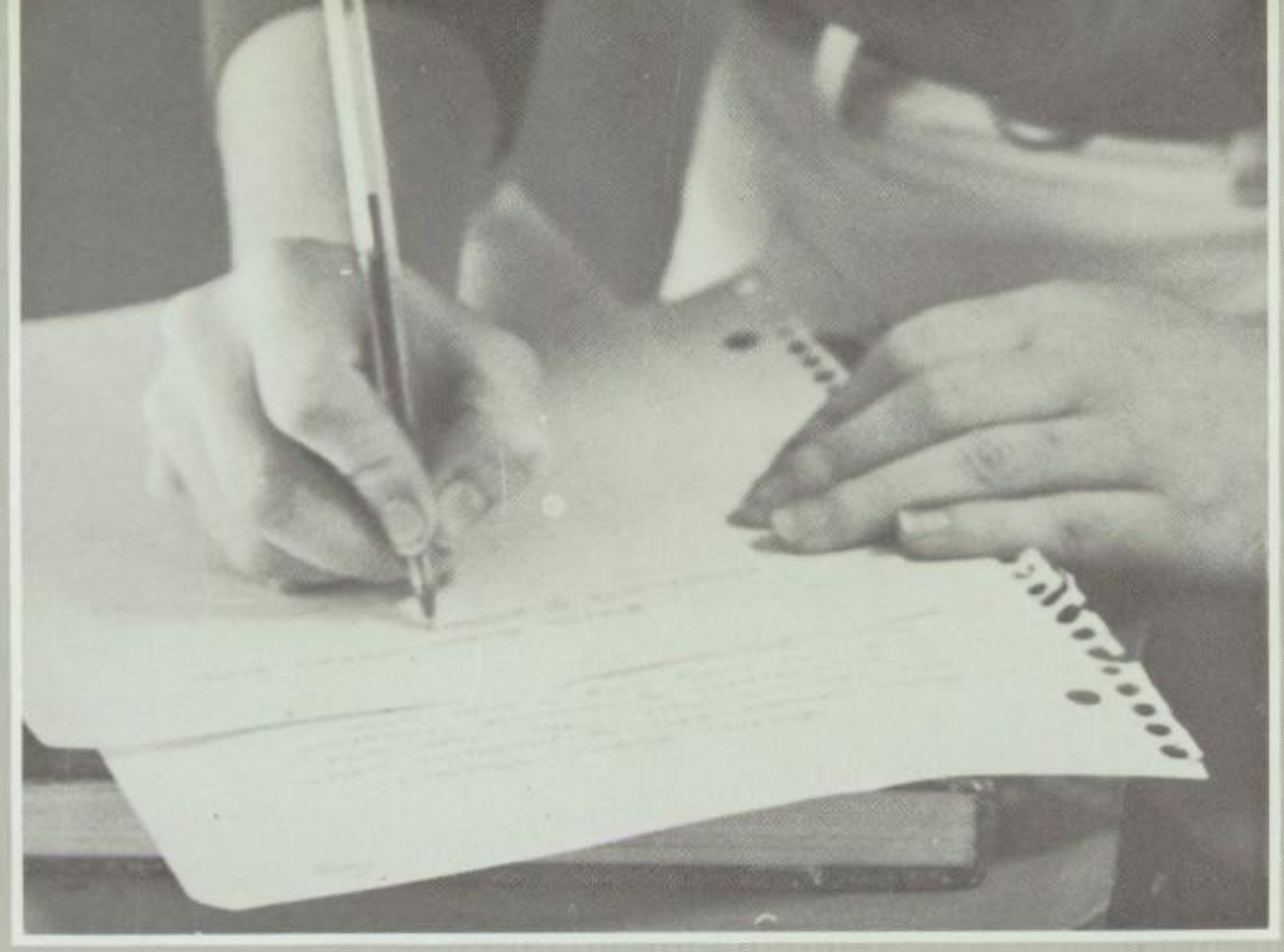
The seniors who have graduated this academic year know some special secrets. We were the last class to see the old face of Seminary and the first class to leave the completed, new face. We sat in the front of Nelson Chapel and in the front rows of the Buckingham Performing Arts Center. And as we go, we take with us some important wisdom about the way things are: it's never as bad as it seems.

At no time in our careers at Sem has the campus been completely at rest: it's been torn by the flood, by building, and by road construction. And yet, the inconveniences brought on by the changes—the detours, the mud on our shoes, the class interruptions from machine noise—were never so bad as to be intolerable. We rolled with all the punches and came out ahead, with a handsome, modern campus for all our successors to enjoy, and with a reputation as the wildest class to graduate in recent years. And the memories we seniors take with us are so much sweeter for the experience: our class is special, for we shared fully with the campus of Wyoming Seminary, the metamorphosis from muddy destruction to classy solidarity.

In no more unique fashion could we have been taught that nothing is as bad as it seems, and that it's only as good as we make it, anyway. We've all made it good for each other and for those who will follow.







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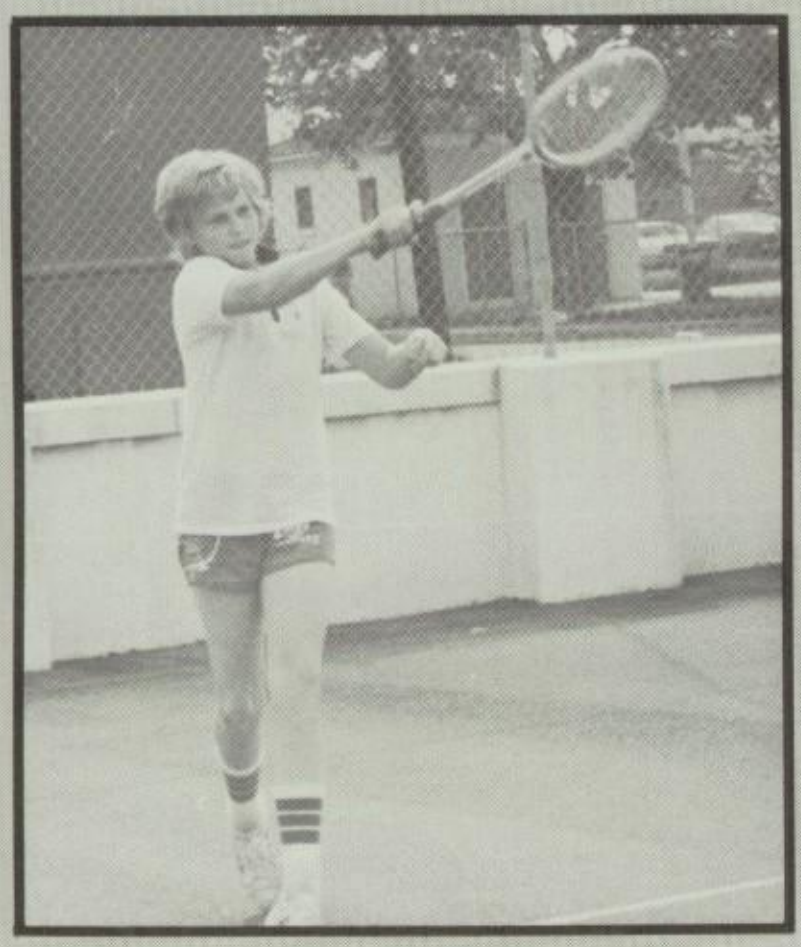

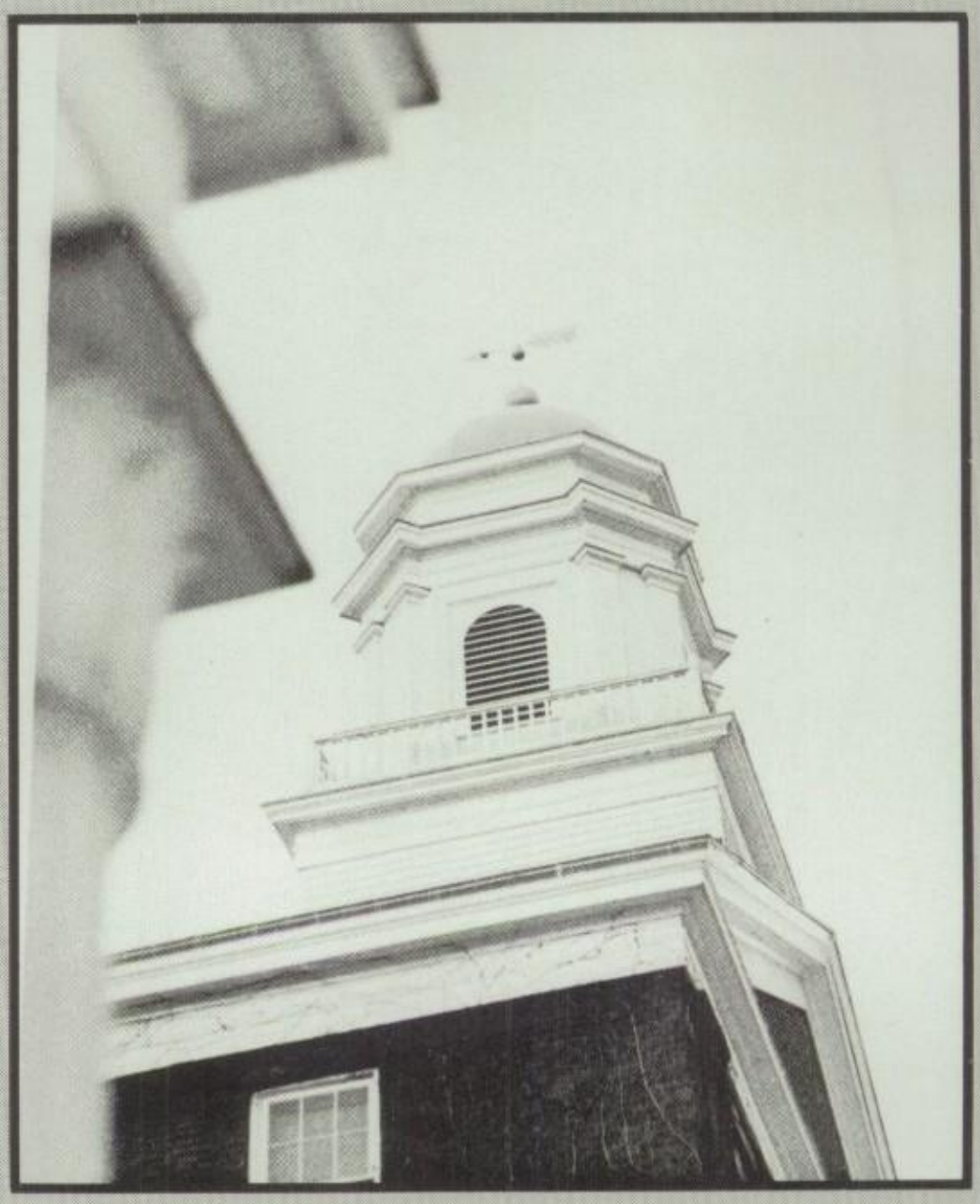

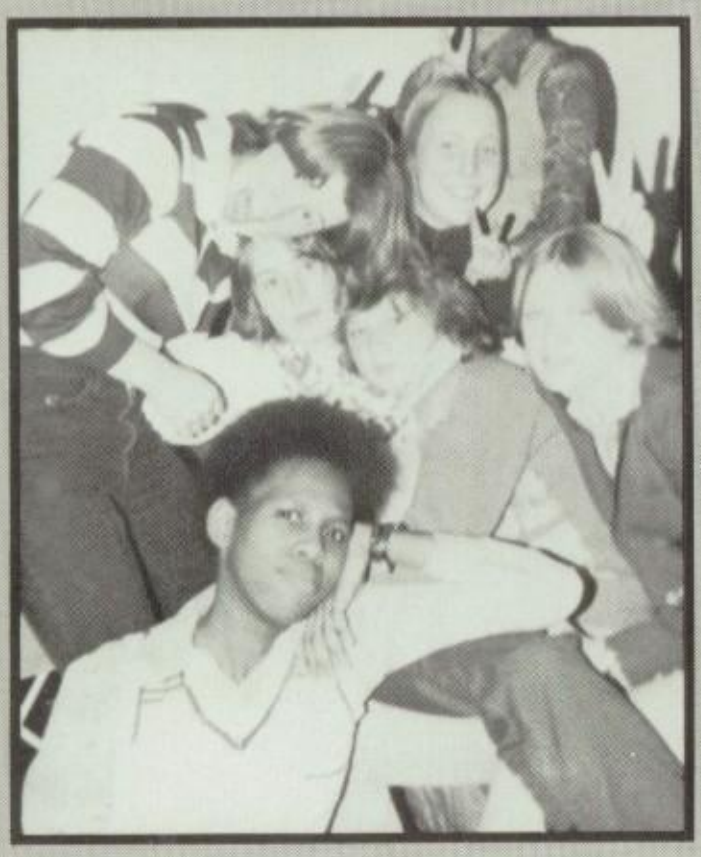

A few hours ago, hot and
tired, I was surrounded by the
jargon of business, myself
a part of it.
Now near the middle of the
night, I am sitting by
an open window.
Everything is still and the soft
night air is cool.
The sky seems very near, and
the stars lie over the heavens
stretching on and on.
The moon is passing in and out
of the clouds, making a
shadow-checkered day of the
night, and breaking the sky
with shafts of gold.
All silent, the universe is doing
its work—beautiful,
mysterious, religious!
What was all the jargon about
a few hours ago?

A Few Hours Ago
by Max Ehrmann

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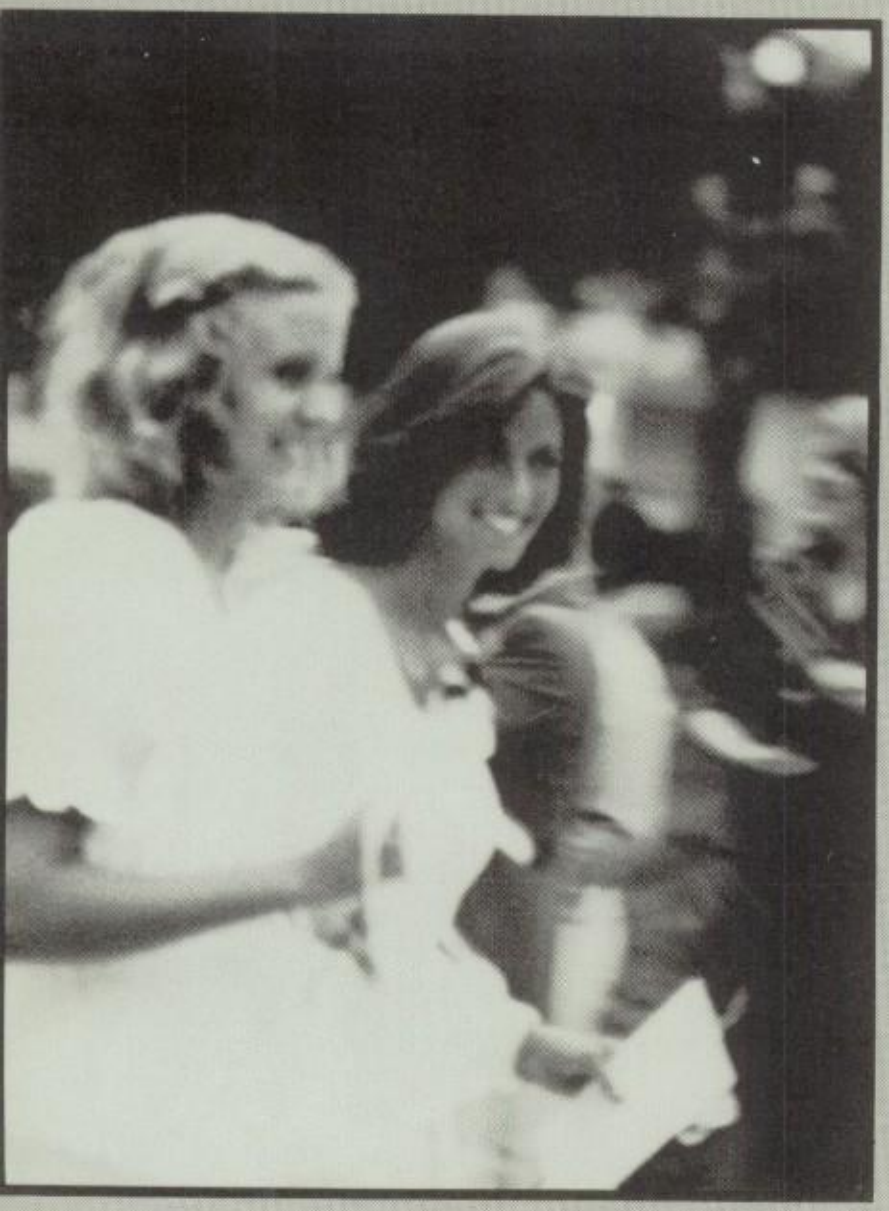

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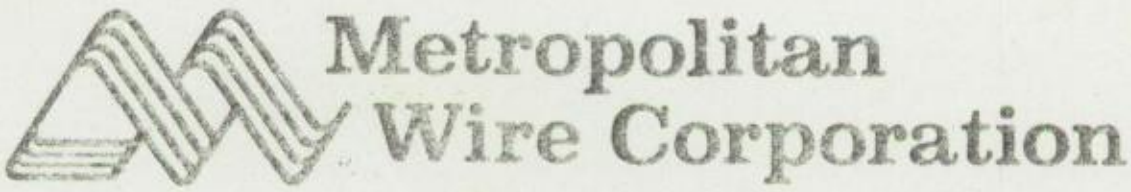
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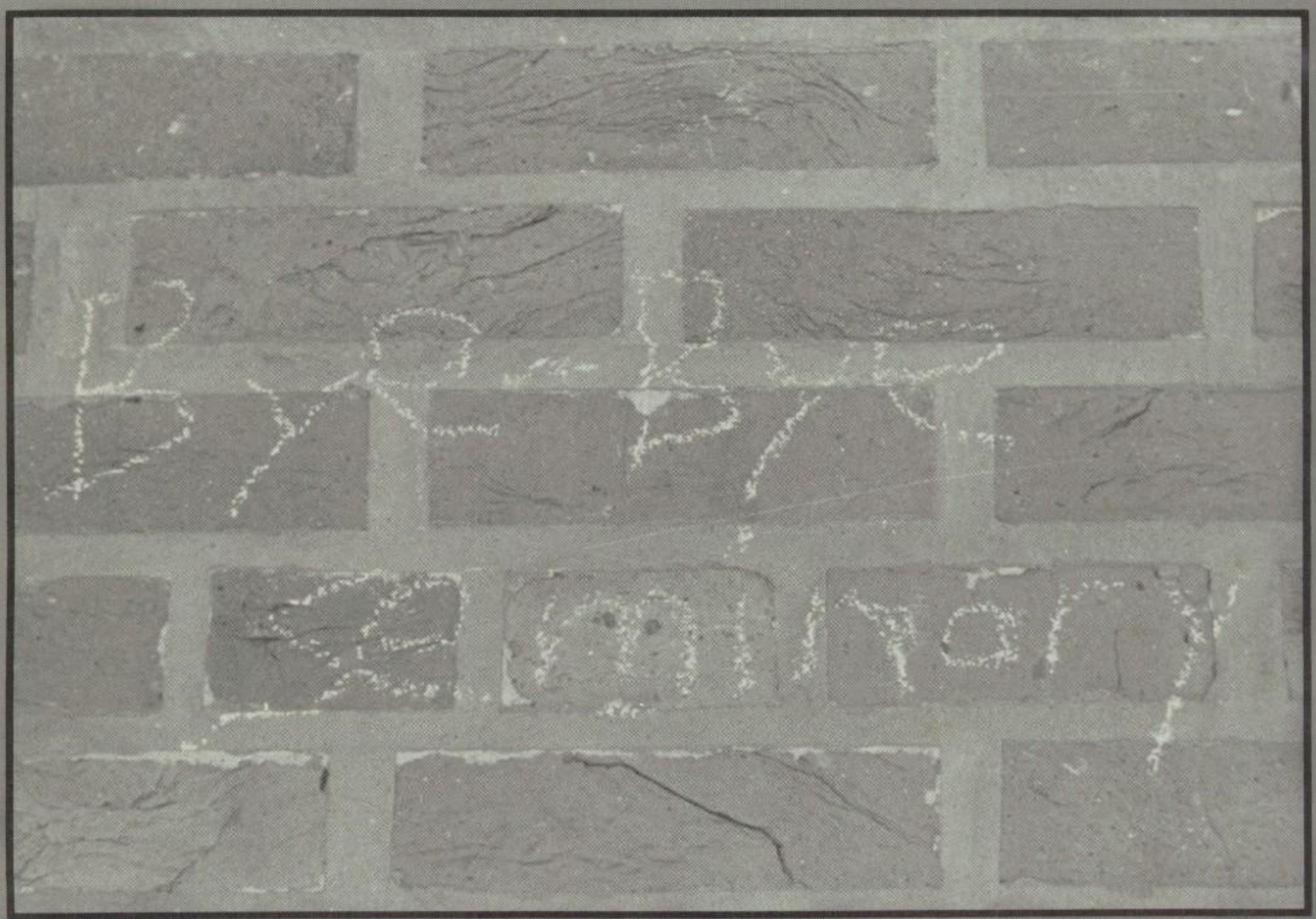
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